State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

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# Filing at a Glance

Company: Humana Insurance Company

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

State: Colorado

TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical

Sub-TOI: H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Filing Type: Rate

Date Submitted: 05/15/2013

SERFF Tr Num: HUMA-129031275

SERFF Status: Closed-Filed

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Implementation 01/01/2014

Date Requested:

Author(s): Emma Erickson

Reviewer(s): Cathy Gilliland (primary), Michael Muldoon, Nichole Boggess, Rachel Plummer, Amy Filler

Disposition Date: 08/12/2013

Disposition Status: Filed

Implementation Date: 01/01/2014

State Filing Description: 645-805-state codes

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## **General Information**

Project Name: Status of Filing in Domicile: Not Filed

Project Number: Date Approved in Domicile:

Requested Filing Mode: File & Use Domicile Status Comments: Filed in CO only.

Explanation for Combination/Other: Market Type: Individual

Submission Type: New Submission Individual Market Type: Individual

Overall Rate Impact: Filing Status Changed: 08/12/2013

State Status Changed: 08/02/2013

Deemer Date: Created By: Emma Erickson

Submitted By: Emma Erickson Corresponding Filing Tracking Number:

PPACA: Non-Grandfathered Immed Mkt Reforms

PPACA Notes: null

Exchange Intentions: Off Exchange Only

Filing Description: Dear Sir or Madam,

We respectfully submit for your review the enclosed premium rates for use with the above captioned policy series. See the actuarial memorandum for more information about this filing.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me by phone at 920.337.8573 or by email at eerickson@humana.com.

Sincerely,

Emma Erickson Actuarial Analyst Individual Product Segment

State Narrative:

State Tracking #278126 Company: Humana Insurance Company Product Line: Individual PPO Rate Change Summary Effective Date of New Rate Implementation: 1/1/2014 through 12/31/2014 This is a New ACA Compliant Filing for 2014, there is no rate change involved with this filing. The purpose of this rate filing is to establish new product rates that are reasonable relative to the benefits provided and to demonstrate compliance with state laws and provisions of the Affordable Care Act (ACA). Off Exchange Only Plans Silver: 2 PPO and 2 POS Bronze: 2 PPO and 2 POS Catastrophic: 1 PPO and 1 POS

# **Company and Contact**

## **Filing Contact Information**

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**Filing Company Information** 

Humana Insurance Company CoCode: 73288 State of Domicile: Wisconsin 1100 Employers Boulevard Group Code: 119 Company Type: Life & Health

Green Bay, WI 54344 Group Name: State ID Number: CO

(800) 558-4444 ext. [Phone] FEIN Number: 39-1263473

## Filing Fees

Fee Required? No Retaliatory? No

Fee Explanation:

## **State Specific**

Please enter state-specific code(s) found in Colorado's Filing Requirements Bulletins, or on the General Instructions page. Please list all applicable state-specific codes. If no codes are applicable, please enter N/A.: N/A

All rate and loss cost filing types MUST be submitted with completed Rate Data Fields in accordance with Sections 10-4-401 and 10-16-107 C.R.S. This requirement does not apply to form filing types. Rate and loss cost filings not including this data

and 10-16-107 C.R.S. This requirement does not apply to form filing types. Rate and loss cost filings not including this data will be rejected. If this is a rate or loss cost filing, have these fields been completed?: Yes

Have you completed the Forms Schedule Tab? ALL Life, Accident, and Health Rate and Form filing types require the Form Schedule Tab to be completed. In addition, all Form, Annual Form Certification, and Refund Calculation filing types require the Form Schedule Tab to be completed. The actual form must be attached to Form filing types only when filing: Medicare Supplement, Long-Term Care Partnership, Stop Loss, P&C Summary Disclosure Forms, and Workers Compensation. It is not necessary to submit the actual form for other lines of insurance. Thank you.: Yes - Rate Filing

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# **Correspondence Summary**

**Dispositions** 

Status	Created By	Created On	Date Submitted
Filed	Nichole Boggess	08/12/2013	08/12/2013

## **Objection Letters and Response Letters**

Objection Letters Response Letters

Status	Created By	Created On	Date Submitted	Responded By	Created On	Date Submitted
Pending Industry Response	Rachel Plummer	07/05/2013	07/05/2013	Emma Erickson	07/11/2013	07/11/2013
Pending Industry Response	Michael Muldoon	06/27/2013	06/27/2013	Nicholas Mueller	07/01/2013	07/01/2013
Pending Industry Response	Cathy Gilliland	06/26/2013	06/26/2013	Emma Erickson	07/01/2013	07/01/2013
Pending Industry Response	Rachel Plummer	06/14/2013	06/14/2013	Emma Erickson	06/19/2013	06/19/2013
Pending Industry Response	Amy Filler	06/13/2013	06/13/2013	Emma Erickson	06/19/2013	06/19/2013
Pending Industry Response	Cathy Gilliland	06/13/2013	06/13/2013	Emma Erickson	06/17/2013	06/17/2013
Pending Industry Response	Rachel Plummer	06/06/2013	06/06/2013	Emma Erickson	06/06/2013	06/06/2013

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

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Objection Letters Response Letters

Status	Created By	Created On	Date Submitted	Responded By	Created On	Date Submitted
Pending Industry Response	Cathy Gilliland	05/28/2013	05/28/2013	Emma Erickson	06/05/2013	06/06/2013
Pending Industry Response	Cathy Gilliland	05/23/2013	05/23/2013	Emma Erickson	06/06/2013	06/06/2013

**Amendments** 

Schedule	Schedule Item Name	Created By	Created On	Date Submitted
Rate	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01	Emma Erickson	07/30/2013	07/30/2013
Supporting Document	Actuarial Memorandum and Certifications	Emma Erickson	07/17/2013	07/17/2013
Supporting Document	Unified Rate Review Template	Emma Erickson	07/17/2013	07/17/2013
Supporting Document	Risk Adjustment Explanation	Emma Erickson	07/17/2013	07/17/2013
Supporting Document	Geographic Area & Network Factor Build-Up	Emma Erickson	07/11/2013	07/11/2013
Supporting Document	Actuarial Memorandum	Emma Erickson	06/19/2013	06/19/2013
Supporting Document	Exhibit B - Trend Exhibits	Emma Erickson	06/05/2013	06/19/2013

**Filing Notes** 

Subject	Note Type	Created By	Created On	Date Submitted
FYI	Note To Filer	Cathy Gilliland	06/14/2013	06/14/2013

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

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**Filing Notes** 

Subject	Note Type	Created By	Created On	Date Submitted
Revised Rate Sample Per Division's Request	Note To Reviewer	Emma Erickson	05/30/2013	05/30/2013
URRT	Note To Filer	Cathy Gilliland	05/23/2013	05/23/2013

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

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Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

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# **Disposition**

Disposition Date: 08/12/2013 Implementation Date: 01/01/2014

Status: Filed

HHS Status: HHS Approved

State Review: Reviewed by Actuary

Comment: State Tracking #278126 Company: Humana Insurance Company

Product Line: Individual PPO

Rate Change Summary

Effective Date of New Rate Implementation: 1/1/2014 through 12/31/2014

This is a New ACA Compliant Filing for 2014, there is no rate change involved with this filing.

The purpose of this rate filing is to establish new product rates that are reasonable relative to the benefits provided and to demonstrate compliance with state laws and provisions of the Affordable Care Act (ACA).

Off Exchange Only Plans Silver: 2 PPO and 2 POS Bronze: 2 PPO and 2 POS Catastrophic: 1 PPO and 1 POS

Final Rate Filing Disposition

The Division has filed the rates in their final form after all adjustments.

See attached document for more information on this filing.

Overall % Overall % Written # of Policy Written Maximum % Minimum % Company Company Indicated Rate Rate **Premium Holders Affected Premium for** Change Change Change for Change: Impact: for this Program: this Program: (where req'd): (where req'd): Name: Change: this Program:

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

Humana Insurance	New Product	0.000%	0.000%	\$0	0	\$0	0.000%	0.000%
Company								

**Percent Change Approved:** 

 Minimum:
 0.000%

 Maximum:
 0.000%

 Weighted Average:
 0.000%

Schedule	Schedule Item	Schedule Item Status	Public Access
Supporting Document	HR-1 Form (H)		Yes
Supporting Document	Consumer Disclosure Form		Yes
Supporting Document (revised)	Actuarial Memorandum and Certifications		Yes
Supporting Document	Actuarial Memorandum and Certifications		Yes
Supporting Document	Actuarial Memorandum and Certifications		Yes
Supporting Document (revised)	Unified Rate Review Template		Yes
Supporting Document	Unified Rate Review Template		Yes
Supporting Document	Unified Rate Review Template		Yes
Supporting Document	Unified Rate Review Template		Yes
Supporting Document	Cover Letter		Yes
Supporting Document (revised)	Actuarial Memorandum		Yes
Supporting Document	Actuarial Memorandum		Yes
Supporting Document	Actuarial Memorandum		Yes
Supporting Document (revised)	Exhibit A - Past and Future Projected Experience		Yes
Supporting Document	Exhibit A - Past and Future Projected Experience		Yes
Supporting Document (revised)	Exhibit B - Trend Exhibits		Yes
Supporting Document	Exhibit B - Trend Exhibits		Yes

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Supporting Document (revised)	Rate Review Detail		Yes
Supporting Document	Rate Review Detail		Yes
Supporting Document	Rate Review Detail		Yes
Supporting Document	Rate Review Detail		Yes
Supporting Document (revised)	Rate Sample		Yes
Supporting Document	Rate Sample		Yes
Supporting Document	Benefit Ratio Justification		Yes
Supporting Document	Welliness Program & Rewards		Yes
Supporting Document	Plan & Benefits Template		Yes
Supporting Document	Exhibit C - CO HIC Base Rate Development		Yes
Supporting Document	5/23/13 Revised Rate Template Explanation		Yes
Supporting Document	Geographic Area & Network Factor Build-Up		Yes
Supporting Document	Risk Adjustment Explanation		Yes
Form	CO Suite C PPO		Yes
Form	CO Suite C POS		Yes
Rate (revised)	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01		Yes
Rate	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01		Yes
Rate	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01		Yes
Rate	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01		Yes
Rate	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01		Yes
Rate	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01		Yes

**Final Disposition Letter** 

State Tracking #278044

Company: Humana Health Plan Product Line: Individual HMO

### **Rate Change Summary**

Effective Date of New Rate Implementation: 1/1/2014 through 12/31/2014

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The purpose of this rate filing is to establish new product rates that are reasonable relative to the benefits provided and to demonstrate compliance with state laws and provisions of the Affordable Care Act (ACA).

On Exchange Only Plans

Platinum: 1 plan

Gold: 1 plan

Silver: 2 plans

Bronze: 2 plans

Catastrophic: 1 plan

Off Exchange Only Plans

Platinum: 1 plan

Gold: 1 plan

Silver: 4 plans

Bronze: 4 plans

Catastrophic: 2 plans

## **Rate Methodology**

Experience Used for Rate Setting: Utilized the Humana Individual Block of business data for 2012.

2012 Experience Period Loss Ratio: 51.9% based on 91,997 member months. This was a very new highly underwritten block of business still in 2012.

Annual Health Cost Trends: 9.6%

Risk Adjustment: 0% (payments expected from the federal Risk Adjustment Program in 2014).

Reinsurance Recoveries: -11.5% (payments expected from the federal Reinsurance Program in 2014).

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Smoking Factor: 10% higher rates for smokers at all ages.

Age Rating: 3.0 to 1.0 age rating factor limits for all adults age 21 and over.

Colorado 2014 Overall Average Premium: \$234.94

\* Federal Reported 2014 Comparable Average Premium: \$234.94

\* This is reported on the issuer's CMS URRT Form submitted in HIOS. It represents a standardized average premium calculation that is used by CMS for comparing and gauging premium development. It is not necessarily the actual average premium, which is shown in the line above as Colorado 2014 Overall Average Premium.

## Premium Retained to Cover Expenses, Taxes Fees and Profits

Administrative costs: Expenses the insurance company pays to operate this insurance plan. This includes all expenses not directly related to paying claims, such as, but not limited to, salaries of company employees, the cost of the company's offices and equipment, commissions to agents to sell and service policies, subsidies to cover legally required plans such as portability, and taxes.

Profit: The amount of money remaining after claims and administrative expenses are paid. Margin is the comparable term for a nonprofit insurance company.

Premium retention is 25.1% shown as follows:

PPACA Health Insurer Fee:

			% of Premium			
	Retained					
		Administrative Expenses:	9.60%			
		Direct Response, Marketing, & Agency Management:	1.60%			
		Commissions:	4.40%			
		Profit and Contingencies After Taxes:	3.10%			
		Contingencies:				
		Net Private Reinsurance:				
		FIT - Federal Income Taxes:	2.50%			
		Investment Income:				
(A)	Total:		21.20%			
	Retention for Additional Required Taxes, Fees and Assessments					

1.40%

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	PPACA Reinsurance Fee:						
	PPACA CERF and PCORI Fee:	0.10%					
	PPACA Risk Adjustment User Fee:						
	Exchange user fees:	0.90%					
	Premium Taxes:	0.30%					
	State Income Taxes:						
	Other Fees, Assessments, Taxes:	0.00%					
(B)	Total:	2.70%					
	Additional Allowed for QI & Member Welfare Section						
	Quality Improvement:	1.20%					
	Community Charitable:						
	IT for ICD-10 Conversion (max allowed 0.3%):						
(C)	Total:	1.20%					
(D)	Total Premium Retention For All Purposes (A + B + C):	25.10%					
(E)	Colorado Conventional Loss Ratio (100% - D): 74.90%						
Fede	Federal MLR Loss Ratio Basis: (E + C) / (100% - B - FIT): 80.27%						

# Sample of Final Premium Levels

		Bou	lder	Colorado Springs		Denver		
Level of Coverage*	Network Name	Plan Type*	Low	<u>High</u>	<u>Low</u>	<u>High</u>	<u>Low</u>	<u>High</u>
Platinum	Colorado HMOx	нмо			\$255.36	\$256.40	\$264.02	\$265.09
Gold	Colorado HMOx	нмо			\$226.50	\$227.40	\$234.18	\$235.11
Silver	National POS Open Access	POS	\$333.98	\$339.84	\$275.64	\$280.48	\$291.29	\$296.40
	Colorado HMOx	НМО			\$198.58	\$202.24	\$205.32	\$209.10
Bronze	National POS Open Access	POS	\$288.86	\$324.96	\$238.40	\$268.20	\$251.94	\$283.43
	Colorado HMOx	НМО			\$175.11	\$189.51	\$181.05	\$195.94
Catastrophic	National POS Open Access	POS	\$240.60	\$240.60	\$198.57	\$198.57	\$209.85	\$209.85
	Colorado HMOx	нмо			\$139.14	\$139.69	\$143.86	\$144.43

## **Division Objections and Rate Changes During the Review Process**

The Division objected to Humana adding rates for areas where rates had not initially been filed. Humana indicated the rates were for "movers", not for new sales.

The Division objected to the large risk adjustment assumption of -8.9% built into the rates. Humana adjusted their actuarial assumptions within the parameters set by the Division.

The Division objected to the number of plans filed in the rate manual not matching the number of plans within the Plans and Benefit Template. Humana revised their filing to match.

The Division objected to 0.3% of retention for fees, and directed Humana to carry as margin.

## **Final Rate Filing Disposition**

The Division has filed the rates in their final form after all adjustments.

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# **Objection Letter**

Objection Letter Status Pending Industry Response

Objection Letter Date 07/05/2013
Submitted Date 07/05/2013
Respond By Date 07/11/2013

Dear Emma Streubel,

#### Introduction:

This filing has been received, but before further action can be taken, please address the following:

#### Objection 1

Comments: Please provide a new rate manual in the following format:

Base Premium = (Age Factor) \* (Plan Benefit Factor) \* (Network Factor) \* (Area Factor) \* (Tobacco Factor) \* (Any other factors built into the rate)

Provide a table for each of the following factors listed above.

Also, for the Plan Benefit factors and Network factors, please include the plan id, plan marketing name, metal level and factor.

#### Conclusion:

If any of the requested rate information results in changes to the filing forms (HR-1 or A, B, C or D), please also submit revised forms.

Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8 requires that every person shall provide a complete response in writing to any inquiry from the Division of Insurance. This reply must be submitted by 07/11/2013, which is within 6 calendar days from the date of this correspondence. If additional time is required to provide a complete response, including any documentation which is requested, a request for an extension of time must be submitted by 07/11/2013.

The request for an extension of time must state the reason for such request and the number of additional days required to provide a complete response. Requests for additional time will be granted for good cause shown and for a reasonable period at the discretion of the Division. Requests for an extension of time must be submitted through SERFF.

Failure to provide a full or complete response, or to request an extension for a specified period, may result in the imposition of a \$500 fine under Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8 and applicable surcharge pursuant to §24-34-108(2), C.R.S. This surcharge will be used to fund the development, implementation and maintenance of a consumer outreach and education program. Pursuant to Section 6 of Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8, and after notice and hearing, additional sanctions may be sought under C.R.S. 10-1-215 and other fining and penalty provisions of Title 10.

Sincerely,

Rachel Plummer

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

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# **Objection Letter**

Objection Letter Status Pending Industry Response

Objection Letter Date 06/27/2013
Submitted Date 06/27/2013
Respond By Date 07/01/2013

Dear Emma Streubel,

#### Introduction:

This filing has been received, but before further action can be taken, please address the following:

#### Objection 1

Comments: You illustrate premium tax of 2.3%, and define this as follows:

State Premium Tax - This category include assessments and fees and is held constant at our Colorado actual level of 2.3% of premium for this legal entity.

Please clarify all assessments and fees included in this 2.3%, indicate why this differs from Colorado's 2.0% state premium tax.

#### Conclusion:

If any of the requested rate information results in changes to the filing forms (HR-1 or A, B, C or D), please also submit revised forms.

Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8 requires that every person shall provide a complete response in writing to any inquiry from the Division of Insurance. This reply must be submitted by 07/01/2013, which is within 4 calendar days from the date of this correspondence. If additional time is required to provide a complete response, including any documentation which is requested, a request for an extension of time must be submitted by 07/01/2013.

The request for an extension of time must state the reason for such request and the number of additional days required to provide a complete response. Requests for additional time will be granted for good cause shown and for a reasonable period at the discretion of the Division. Requests for an extension of time must be submitted through SERFF.

Failure to provide a full or complete response, or to request an extension for a specified period, will result in the rate filing being DISAPPROVED on the basis that the rate filing is incomplete, pursuant to §10-16-107(1.6)(a)(V), C.R.S. Proposed rates may not be used in any manner until an adequate response to this objection has been received and the above referenced rate filing has been approved by the Division.

Sincerely.

Michael Muldoon

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

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Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

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# **Objection Letter**

Objection Letter Status Pending Industry Response

Objection Letter Date 06/26/2013
Submitted Date 06/26/2013
Respond By Date 07/01/2013

Dear Emma Streubel,

#### Introduction:

This filing has been received, but before further action can be taken, please address the following:

### Objection 1

Comments: There are 10 plan IDs listed in the Plans & Benefits Template and Rate Data Template. However, there are only have 5 listed in the Rate Manual. If 5 are in one network, and the other 5 are in another Please, spell this out on the Rate Manual. Provide all of the plan name/descriptions, with their corresponding plan IDs, on the Rate Manual.

#### Conclusion:

Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8 requires that every person shall provide a complete response in writing to any inquiry from the Division of Insurance. This reply must be submitted by 07/01/2013, which is within 5 calendar days from the date of this correspondence. If additional time is required to provide a complete response, including any documentation which is requested, a request for an extension of time must be submitted by 07/01/2013.

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Failure to provide a full or complete response, or to request an extension for a specified period, may result in the imposition of a \$500 fine under Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8 and applicable surcharge pursuant to \$24-34-108(2), C.R.S. This surcharge will be used to fund the development, implementation and maintenance of a consumer outreach and education program. Pursuant to Section 6 of Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8, and after notice and hearing, additional sanctions may be sought under C.R.S. 10-1-215 and other fining and penalty provisions of Title 10.

Sincerely,

Cathy Gilliland

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

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Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

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# **Objection Letter**

Objection Letter Status Pending Industry Response

Objection Letter Date 06/14/2013 Submitted Date 06/14/2013 Respond By Date 06/19/2013

Dear Emma Streubel,

#### Introduction:

This filing has been received, but before further action can be taken, please address the following:

### Objection 1

Comments: Please provide a calculation summary that includes the starting index rate along with all of the components and factors used to reach the final index rate. Be sure to include all adjustments. Please upload an excel and pdf version of this summary.

#### Conclusion:

If any of the requested rate information results in changes to the filing forms (HR-1 or A, B, C or D), please also submit revised forms.

Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8 requires that every person shall provide a complete response in writing to any inquiry from the Division of Insurance. This reply must be submitted by 06/19/2013, which is within 5 calendar days from the date of this correspondence. If additional time is required to provide a complete response, including any documentation which is requested, a request for an extension of time must be submitted by 06/19/2013.

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Sincerely.

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# **Objection Letter**

Objection Letter Status Pending Industry Response

Objection Letter Date 06/13/2013
Submitted Date 06/13/2013
Respond By Date 06/19/2013

Dear Emma Streubel,

#### Introduction:

This filing has been received, but before further action can be taken, please address the following:

### Objection 1

- Rate Sample (Supporting Document)
- CO HIC Rate Manual 2014\_01\_01, [] (Rate)

Comments: You do not have factors or rates for rating areas 1, 2, or 3. In the binder, your Plans & Benefits template and your Rate Template both have data for those areas. Please submit new documents with information for areas 1, 2, and 3.

### Objection 2

Comments: This is in response to the objection 3 made on 6/6/2013. No updated Part III Actuarial Memorandum has been posted with Terminated Products specified.

Please include the "Terminated Products" section of the Part III Actuarial Memorandum under Supporting Documents. List the name of each product that will be terminated prior to the effective date. Include both products that have experience included in the single risk pool during the experience period and any products that were not in effect during the experience but were made available thereafter. If this section is not applicable, then please specify. This should be located after the "Membership Projections" section.

#### Conclusion:

If any of the requested rate information results in changes to the filing forms (HR-1 or A, B, C or D), please also submit revised forms.

Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8 requires that every person shall provide a complete response in writing to any inquiry from the Division of Insurance. This reply must be submitted by 6/19/2013, which is within [20] calendar days from the date of this correspondence. If additional time is required to provide a complete response, including any documentation which is requested, a request for an extension of time must be submitted by 6/19/2013.

The request for an extension of time must state the reason for such request and the number of additional days required to provide a complete response. Requests for additional time will be granted for good cause shown and for a reasonable period at the discretion of the Division. Requests for an extension of time must be submitted through SERFF.

Failure to provide a full or complete response, or to request an extension for a specified period, may result in the imposition of a \$500 fine under Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8 and applicable surcharge pursuant to §24-34-108(2), C.R.S. This surcharge will be used to fund the development, implementation and maintenance of a consumer outreach and education program. Pursuant to Section 6 of Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8, and after notice and hearing, additional sanctions may be sought under C.R.S. 10-1-215 and other fining and penalty provisions of Title 10.

Sincerely,

Amy Filler

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

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Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

# **Objection Letter**

Objection Letter Status Pending Industry Response

Objection Letter Date 06/13/2013
Submitted Date 06/13/2013
Respond By Date 06/17/2013

Dear Emma Streubel,

#### Introduction:

This filing has been received, but before further action can be taken, please address the following:

#### Objection 1

Comments: Regulation 4-2-11 sectin 6 (P) the Projected Premiums and claims are not matching on the view rate review detail.

#### Conclusion:

Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8 requires that every person shall provide a complete response in writing to any inquiry from the Division of Insurance. This reply must be submitted by 06/17/2013, which is within 4 calendar days from the date of this correspondence. If additional time is required to provide a complete response, including any documentation which is requested, a request for an extension of time must be submitted by 06/17/2013.

The request for an extension of time must state the reason for such request and the number of additional days required to provide a complete response. Requests for additional time will be granted for good cause shown and for a reasonable period at the discretion of the Division. Requests for an extension of time must be submitted through SERFF.

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Sincerely,

Cathy Gilliland

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# **Objection Letter**

Objection Letter Status Pending Industry Response

Objection Letter Date 06/06/2013
Submitted Date 06/06/2013
Respond By Date 06/20/2013

Dear Emma Streubel,

#### Introduction:

This filing has been received, but before further action can be taken, please address the following:

#### Objection 1

Comments: Please provide the URRT is an .xls file as we are able to download the URRT as a XML doc. We acknowledge that the URRT has been uploaded in your binder filing, but also needs to be uploaded in the Supporting Docs tab of the rate filing in SERFF.

### **Objection 2**

Comments: Regulation 4-2-11 section 6 (a) PPACA rate filing procedure (A) 5 Please provide: Product Descriptions: This section should describe the benefits provided by the policy. Must include EHB and list any substitution of benefits or any additional benefits above the EHB. (Please list all of the policies and a description of all of them and how they differ from one another.)

Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8 requires that every person shall provide a complete response in writing to any inquiry from the Division of Insurance. This reply must be submitted by 06/07/2013, which is within 2 calendar days from the date of this correspondence. If additional time is required to provide a complete response, including any documentation which is requested, a request for an extension of time must be submitted by 06/07/2013.

The request for an extension of time must state the reason for such request and the number of additional days required to provide a complete response. Requests for additional time will be granted for good cause shown and for a reasonable period at the discretion of the Division. Requests for an extension of time must be submitted through SERFF.

Failure to provide a full or complete response, or to request an extension for a specified period, may result in the imposition of a \$500 fine under Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8 and applicable surcharge pursuant to §24-34-108(2), C.R.S. This surcharge will be used to fund the development, implementation and maintenance of a consumer outreach and education program. Pursuant to Section 6 of Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8, and after notice and hearing, additional sanctions may be sought under C.R.S. 10-1-215 and other fining and penalty provisions of Title 10.

#### Objection 3

Comments: Please include the "Terminated Products" section of the Part III Actuarial Memorandum under Supporting Documents.

List the name of each product that will be terminated prior to the effective date. Include both products that have experience included in the single risk pool during the experience period and any products that were not in effect during the experience but were made available thereafter. If this section is not applicable, then please specify. This should be located after the "Membership Projections" section.

#### Conclusion:

If any of the requested rate information results in changes to the filing forms (HR-1 or A, B, C or D), please also submit revised forms.

Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8 requires that every person shall provide a complete response in writing to any inquiry from the Division of Insurance. This reply must be submitted by 06/20/2013, which is within 14 calendar days from the date of this

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correspondence. If additional time is required to provide a complete response, including any documentation which is requested, a request for an extension of time must be submitted by 06/20/2013.

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Failure to provide a full or complete response, or to request an extension for a specified period, may result in the imposition of a \$500 fine under Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8 and applicable surcharge pursuant to \$24-34-108(2), C.R.S. This surcharge will be used to fund the development, implementation and maintenance of a consumer outreach and education program. Pursuant to Section 6 of Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8, and after notice and hearing, additional sanctions may be sought under C.R.S. 10-1-215 and other fining and penalty provisions of Title 10.

Sincerely,

Rachel Plummer

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

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Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

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# **Objection Letter**

Objection Letter Status Pending Industry Response

Objection Letter Date 05/28/2013
Submitted Date 05/28/2013
Respond By Date 06/05/2013

Dear Emma Streubel,

#### Introduction:

This filing has been received, but before further action can be taken, please address the following:

#### Objection 1

- Actuarial Memorandum (Supporting Document)

Comments: Product Descriptions: This section should describe the benefits provided by the policy. Must include EHB and list any substitution of benefits or any additional benefits above the EHB.

#### Conclusion:

Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8 requires that every person shall provide a complete response in writing to any inquiry from the Division of Insurance. This reply must be submitted by 06/05/2013, which is within 7 calendar days from the date of this correspondence. If additional time is required to provide a complete response, including any documentation which is requested, a request for an extension of time must be submitted by 06/05/2013.

The request for an extension of time must state the reason for such request and the number of additional days required to provide a complete response. Requests for additional time will be granted for good cause shown and for a reasonable period at the discretion of the Division. Requests for an extension of time must be submitted through SERFF.

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Sincerely,

Cathy Gilliland

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Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

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## Objection Letter

Objection Letter Status Pending Industry Response

Objection Letter Date 05/23/2013
Submitted Date 05/23/2013
Respond By Date 06/06/2013

Dear Emma Streubel,

#### Introduction:

This filing has been received, but before further action can be taken, please address the following:

#### Objection 1

Comments: Please provide a compete product name on the general information tab (street name)

#### Objection 2

Comments: Please provide a more detail description of the filing on the general information tab.

## **Objection 3**

Comments: On the view rate review detail, if this is a new product, there should not be prior rate information.

#### Objection 4

Comments: Please provide the Unifed rate review template in a xls format as we are not able to open the xml.

#### Objection 5

- Actuarial Memorandum (Supporting Document)

Comments: Please provide a better detail of the reason for this filing. Regulation 4-2-11 section 6 (A) Reason(s) for the rate filing: A statement whether this is a new filing, a rate revision, or a new option being added to an existing form. If the filing is a rate revision, the reason for the revision should be stated.

#### Objection 6

- Actuarial Memorandum (Supporting Document)

Comments: Regulation 4-2-11 section 6 (F) Please provide the effects of the law changes, please see is not acceptable.

Please indicate which of the following PPACA benefits your plan has implemented:

Eliminate Annual Dollar Limits on Essential Benefits, Section 2711 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of the PPACA

Eliminate Lifetime Dollar Limits on Essential Benefits, Section 2711 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of the PPACA

Eliminate Pre-existing Condition Exclusions for Enrollees Under Age 19, Section 2711 of the PHSA/Section 1201 of the PPACA

Prohibit Rescissions, Section 2712 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of PPACA

Preventive Services, Section 2713 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of the PPACA

Extends Dependent Coverage for Children Until age 26, Section 2714 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of the PPACA

Appeals Process, Section 2719 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of the PPACA

Emergency Services, Section 2719A of the PHSA/Section 10101 of the PPACA

Access to Pediatricians, Section 2719A of the PHSA/Section 10101 of the PPACA

Access to OB/GYNs, Section 2719A of the PHSA/Section 10101 of the PPACA

#### Objection 7

- Actuarial Memorandum (Supporting Document)

Comments: regulation 4-2-11 section 6 (I) Lifetime loss ratio - no longer applies to health benefit plans)

## **Objection 8**

- Actuarial Memorandum (Supporting Document)

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Comments: regulation 4-2-11 (H) PPACA rate filing procedure (G) Please provide the profit and contingencies (J) with all the retentions. Please provide the targeted Loss ratio.

### **Objection 9**

- Actuarial Memorandum (Supporting Document)

Comments: regulation 4-2-11 section 6 (K) PPACA rate filing procedure (I) COMPLETE EXPLANATION AS TO HOW THE PROPOSED RATES WERE DETERMINED: The memorandum must contain a section with a complete explanation as to how the proposed rates were determined, including all underlying rating assumptions, with detailed support for each assumption. The Division of Insurance may return a rate filing if adequate support for each rating assumption is not provided. This explanation may be on an aggregate expected loss basis or as a per-member-per-month (PMPM) basis, but must completely explain how the proposed rates were determined. The memorandum must adequately support all material assumptions and methodologies used to develop the expected losses or pure premiums. Please provide on the Actuarial Memoradum, please see is not acceptable.

#### Objection 10

- Actuarial Memorandum (Supporting Document)

Comments: Regulation 4-2-11 section 6 (L) rate filing procedure (J)Trend: This section must describe the trend assumptions used in pricing. These assumptions must each be separately discussed, adequately supported, and also be appropriate for the specific line of business, product design, benefit configuration, and time period. Any and all factors affecting the projection of future claims must be presented and adequately supported. Please see is not acceptable.

### Objection 11

- Actuarial Memorandum (Supporting Document)

Comments: regulation 4-2-11 section 6 (M) rate filing procedure (K) Credibility: The memorandum shall discuss the credibility of the Colorado data with the proposed rates based upon as much Colorado data as possible. Collateral data used to support partially credible Colorado data, including published data sources (including affiliated companies) must be provided and applicability of the use of such data must be discussed. Please see is not acceptable.

#### Objection 12

- Actuarial Memorandum (Supporting Document)

Comments: Regulation 4-2-11 section 6 (P) rate filing procedure (N) Benefits Ratio Projections: The memorandum must contain a section projecting the benefits ratio, over the rating period, both with and without the requested rate change. The comparison should be shown in chart form; with projected premiums, projected incurred claims and projected benefits ratio over the rating period, both with and without the requested rate change. The corresponding projection calculations should also be included. For products priced using a lifetime loss ratio standard, such as long-term care, Medicare supplement and long term disability, the projections should include a timeframe as to when the lifetime loss ratio will be achieved. These should match the view rate review detail on requested premium and claims.

## Objection 13

- Actuarial Memorandum (Supporting Document)

Comments: regulation 4-2-11 section 6 (Q) OTHER FACTORS: The memorandum must clearly display or clearly reference all other rating factors and definitions, including the area factors, age factors, gender factors, etc., and support for each of these factors in a new rate filing. The same level of support for changes to any of these factors must be included in renewal rate filings. In addition, the Commissioner expects each carrier to review each of these rating factors at least every five years and provide detailed support for the continued use of each of these factors in a rate filing. Gender factors shall not vary for individual health care coverage effective on or after January 1, 2011. See Section 8.C of this regulation. (Must be provided in excel format)

### Objection 14

- Exhibit A - Past and Future Projected Experience (Supporting Document)

Comments: Regulation 4-2-11 section 6 (N) rate filing procedure (L) DATA REQUIREMENTS: The memorandum must, at a minimum, include earned premium, loss experience data, average covered lives and number of claims, submitted on a Colorado-only

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basis for at least 3 years. (Must be provided in excel format)

### **Objection 15**

Comments: Please provide all state codes on the state specific tab. (645, 805)

### **Objection 16**

Comments: Please explain why your retentions components are different than your 2012 financials for General expenses, commissions, and taxes.

#### Conclusion:

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Sincerely,

Cathy Gilliland

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## **Response Letter**

Response Letter Status Submitted to State

Response Letter Date 07/11/2013
Submitted Date 07/11/2013

Dear Cathy Gilliland,

Introduction:

## Response 1

#### Comments:

A revised rate manual has been uploaded.

### Related Objection 1

Comments: Please provide a new rate manual in the following format:

Base Premium = (Age Factor) \* (Plan Benefit Factor) \* (Network Factor) \* (Area Factor) \* (Tobacco Factor) \* (Any other factors built into the rate)

Provide a table for each of the following factors listed above.

Also, for the Plan Benefit factors and Network factors, please include the plan id, plan marketing name, metal level and factor.

## Changed Items:

No Supporting Documents changed.

No Form Schedule items changed.

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Rate/Rule So	chedule Item Changes					
Item No.	Document Name	Affected Form Numbers (Separated with commas)	Rate Action	Rate Action Information	Attachments	Date Submitted
1	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01		New		CO HIC Rate Manual 01_01_2014.pdf,	07/11/2013 By: Emma Erickson
Previous Vers	rion					
1	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01		New		CO HIC Suite C Rate Manual.pdf,	07/01/2013 By: Emma Erickson
Previous Vers	rion					
1	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01		New		CO HIC Suite C Rate Manual.pdf,	06/19/2013 By: Emma Erickson
Previous Vers	vion					
1	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01		New		6 - CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01.pdf,	05/15/2013 By: Emma Erickson

## Conclusion:

Sincerely,

Emma Erickson

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

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## **Response Letter**

Response Letter Status Submitted to State

Response Letter Date 07/01/2013 Submitted Date 07/01/2013

Dear Cathy Gilliland,

Introduction:

### Response 1

#### Comments:

The rate was set as 2.0% statutory rate, plus an additional 0.25% to cover any miscellaneous regulatory charges and administration of assessments. These would include certificate of authority renewal, costs of compliance with state surveys & regulatory filing fees, among others.

#### Related Objection 1

Comments: You illustrate premium tax of 2.3%, and define this as follows:

State Premium Tax - This category include assessments and fees and is held constant at our Colorado actual level of 2.3% of premium for this legal entity.

Please clarify all assessments and fees included in this 2.3%, indicate why this differs from Colorado's 2.0% state premium tax.

## Changed Items:

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

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<b>Supporting Document Schedule</b>	e Item Changes
Satisfied - Item:	Rate Review Detail
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	5- 2014 Rate-Rule Schedule & Rate Review Detail (CO HIC).pdf
Previous Version	
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Comments:	
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## No Form Schedule items changed.

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		commas)				
1	CO HIC Rate Manual		New			07/01/2013
	2014_01_01					By: Nicholas Mueller

## Conclusion:

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Sincerely, Nicholas Mueller

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

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## **Response Letter**

Response Letter Status Submitted to State

Response Letter Date 07/01/2013 Submitted Date 07/01/2013

Dear Cathy Gilliland,

Introduction:

## Response 1

#### Comments:

A revised rate manual has been uploaded under the Rate/Rule Schedule Tab.

## Related Objection 1

Comments: There are 10 plan IDs listed in the Plans & Benefits Template and Rate Data Template. However, there are only have 5 listed in the Rate Manual. If 5 are in one network, and the other 5 are in another Please, spell this out on the Rate Manual. Provide all of the plan name/descriptions, with their corresponding plan IDs, on the Rate Manual.

## Changed Items:

No Supporting Documents changed.

No Form Schedule items changed.

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Previous Version							
1	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01		New		6 - CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01.pdf,	05/15/2013 By: Emma Erickson	

## Conclusion:

Sincerely,

Emma Erickson

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## **Response Letter**

Response Letter Status Submitted to State

Response Letter Date 06/19/2013 Submitted Date 06/19/2013

Dear Cathy Gilliland,

Introduction:

## Response 1

#### Comments:

Exhibit C - CO HIC Base Rate Development has been uploaded under the Supporting Documents Tab. Furthermore, a section titled 'Index Rate' has been added to our CO Actuarial Memorandum which references this exhibit.

## Related Objection 1

Comments: Please provide a calculation summary that includes the starting index rate along with all of the components and factors used to reach the final index rate. Be sure to include all adjustments. Please upload an excel and pdf version of this summary.

## Changed Items:

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Exhibit C - CO HIC Base Rate Development.pdf

Exhibit C - CO HIC Base Rate Development.xlsx

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Comments:

Attachment(s):

Supporting Document S	chedule Item Changes
Satisfied - Item:	Unified Rate Review Template
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	H1_SBE_CO_PPO_unified_rate_review-fix.xls
Previous Version	
Satisfied - Item:	Unified Rate Review Template
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	UnifiedRateReviewSubmission-CO PPO.xml
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Satisfied - Item:	Exhibit C - CO HIC Base Rate Development

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Supporting Document Schedule Item Changes			
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	H1_SBE_CO_PPO_unified_rate_review-fix.xls		
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Comments:			
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	Exhibit C - CO HIC Base Rate Development.xlsx

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

Conclusion:

Sincerely,

Emma Erickson

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## **Response Letter**

Response Letter Status Submitted to State

Response Letter Date 06/19/2013 Submitted Date 06/19/2013

Dear Cathy Gilliland,

Introduction:

### Response 1

#### Comments:

Per our phone conversation with the Colorado Division of Insurance, we have uploaded an explanation of the 5/23/13 revised rate template. Additionally we have uploaded a revised rate manual and rate sample to be consistent with the revised rate manual.

## Related Objection 1

Applies To:

- Rate Sample (Supporting Document)
- CO HIC Rate Manual 2014\_01\_01, [] (Rate)

Comments: You do not have factors or rates for rating areas 1, 2, or 3. In the binder, your Plans & Benefits template and your Rate Template both have data for those areas. Please submit new documents with information for areas 1, 2, and 3.

## Changed Items:

SERFF Tracking #:	HUMA-129031275	State Tracking #:	278126		Company Tracking #:
State: FOI/Sub-TOI: Product Name: Project Name/Number:		l Health - Major Medical/H16l. C PPO & CO HIC Suite C PO		Filing Company: ferred Provider (PPO)	Humana Insurance Company
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Comments:					
Attachment(s):		7 - CO HIC Rate Sampl	le 2014_01_01.x	lsx	
Satisfied - Item:		5/23/13 Revised Rate T	emplate Explana	ation	
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Comments:					
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Project Name/Number:

Rate/Rule Schedule Item Changes						
Item No.	Document Name	Affected Form Numbers (Separated with commas)	Rate Action	Rate Action Information	Attachments	Date Submitted
1	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01		New		CO HIC Suite C Rate Manual.pdf,	06/19/2013 By: Emma Erickson
Previous Version						
1	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01		New		6 - CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01.pdf,	05/15/2013 By: Emma Erickson

### Response 2

#### Comments:

An updated Part III Actuarial Memorandum has been uploaded.

## Related Objection 2

Comments: This is in response to the objection 3 made on 6/6/2013. No updated Part III Actuarial Memorandum has been posted with Terminated Products specified. Please include the "Terminated Products" section of the Part III Actuarial Memorandum under Supporting Documents. List the name of each product that will be terminated prior to the effective date. Include both products that have experience included in the single risk pool during the experience period and any products that were not in effect during the experience but were made available thereafter. If this section is not applicable, then please specify. This should be located after the "Membership Projections" section.

Humana Insurance Company

State:ColoradoFiling Company:TOI/Sub-TOI:H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

Supporting Document Schedule Item Changes		
Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum and Certifications	
Comments:		
Attachment(s):	CO PPO Actuarial Memorandum and Exhibits_revised 3.pdf	
Previous Version		
Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum and Certifications	
Comments:		
Attachment(s):	CO PPO Actuarial Memorandum and Exhibits_revised 2.pdf	

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

### Conclusion:

Sincerely,

Emma Erickson

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

# **Response Letter**

Response Letter Status Submitted to State

Response Letter Date 06/17/2013 Submitted Date 06/17/2013

Dear Cathy Gilliland,

Introduction:

### Response 1

#### Comments:

The Rate Review Detail has been modified to match the projection. the URR was produced using a sales model that employed no lapse assumptions.

### Related Objection 1

Comments: Regulation 4-2-11 sectin 6 (P) the Projected Premiums and claims are not matching on the view rate review detail.

Supporting Document Schedule Item Changes		
Satisfied - Item:	Rate Review Detail	
Comments:		
Attachment(s):	5- 2014 Rate-Rule Schedule & Rate Review Detail (CO HIC).pdf	
Previous Version		
Satisfied - Item:	Rate Review Detail	
Comments:		
Attachment(s):	5- 2014 Rate-Rule Schedule & Rate Review Detail.pdf	
Previous Version		
Satisfied - Item:	Rate Review Detail	
Comments:		
Attachment(s):	5 - 2014 Rate Review Detail Supporting Document.pdf	

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

Conclusion:

Sincerely,

Emma Erickson

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

# Response Letter

Response Letter Status Submitted to State

Response Letter Date 06/06/2013 Submitted Date 06/06/2013

Dear Cathy Gilliland,

Introduction:

### Response 1

#### Comments:

The URRT has been uploaded as an .xls file under the supporting documents tab.

#### Related Objection 1

Comments: Please provide the URRT is an .xls file as we are able to download the URRT as a XML doc. We acknowledge that the URRT has been uploaded in your binder filing, but also needs to be uploaded in the Supporting Docs tab of the rate filing in SERFF.

#### Changed Items:

No Supporting Documents changed.

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

### Response 2

#### Comments:

The Plan & Benefits Template has been uploaded in .xls format under the Supporting Documents tab.

### Related Objection 2

Comments: Regulation 4-2-11 section 6 (a) PPACA rate filing procedure (A) 5 Please provide: Product Descriptions: This section should describe the benefits provided by the policy. Must include EHB and list any substitution of benefits or any additional benefits above the EHB. (Please list all of the policies and a description of all of them and how they differ from one another.)

Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8 requires that every person shall provide a complete response in writing to any inquiry from the Division of Insurance. This reply must be submitted by 06/07/2013, which is within 2 calendar days from the date of this correspondence. If additional time is required to provide a complete response, including any documentation which is requested, a request for an extension of time must be submitted by 06/07/2013.

The request for an extension of time must state the reason for such request and the number of additional days required to provide a complete response. Requests for additional time will be granted for good cause shown and for a reasonable period at the discretion of the Division. Requests for an extension of time must be submitted through SERFF.

Failure to provide a full or complete response, or to request an extension for a specified period, may result in the imposition of a \$500 fine under Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8 and applicable surcharge pursuant to §24-34-108(2), C.R.S. This surcharge will be used to fund the development, implementation and maintenance of a consumer outreach and education program. Pursuant to Section 6 of Colorado Insurance Regulation 1-1-8, and after notice and hearing, additional sanctions may be sought under C.R.S. 10-1-215 and other fining and penalty provisions of Title 10.

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

No Supporting Documents changed.

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

### Response 3

#### Comments:

A list of the termed products has been added to Part III Actuarial Memorandum.

### Related Objection 3

Comments: Please include the "Terminated Products" section of the Part III Actuarial Memorandum under Supporting Documents.

List the name of each product that will be terminated prior to the effective date. Include both products that have experience included in the single risk pool during the experience period and any products that were not in effect during the experience but were made available thereafter. If this section is not applicable, then please specify. This should be located after the "Membership Projections" section.

### Changed Items:

No Supporting Documents changed.

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

#### Conclusion:

Sincerely,

Emma Erickson

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

# **Response Letter**

Response Letter Status Submitted to State

Response Letter Date 06/05/2013 Submitted Date 06/06/2013

Dear Cathy Gilliland,

Introduction:

### Response 1

#### Comments:

The corresponding Plan & Benefits Template has been uploaded in .xlsx format under the supporting documents tab.

#### Related Objection 1

Applies To:

- Actuarial Memorandum (Supporting Document)

Comments: Product Descriptions: This section should describe the benefits provided by the policy. Must include EHB and list any substitution of benefits or any additional benefits above the EHB.

## Changed Items:

Supporting Document Schedule Item Changes		
Satisfied - Item:	Plan & Benefits Template	
Comments:		
Attachment(s):	H1_SBE_CO_PPO_PlansBenefits.xlsx	

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

#### **Conclusion:**

Sincerely,

Emma Erickson

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

# **Response Letter**

Response Letter Status Submitted to State

Response Letter Date 06/06/2013 Submitted Date 06/06/2013

Dear Cathy Gilliland,

Introduction:

### Response 1

#### Comments:

The product name has been provided on the general information tab.

### Related Objection 1

Comments: Please provide a compete product name on the general information tab (street name)

### Changed Items:

No Supporting Documents changed.

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

## Response 2

#### Comments:

SERFF functionality will not allow me to edit the Filing Description on the general information tab. For a detailed description of the filing, please see the Actuarial Memorandum.

## Related Objection 2

Comments: Please provide a more detail description of the filing on the general information tab.

# Changed Items:

No Supporting Documents changed.

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

## Response 3

#### Comments:

We apologize for any confusion. The rate review detail and rate schedule tabs have been revised to reflect this being a new product.

## Related Objection 3

Comments: On the view rate review detail, if this is a new product, there should not be prior rate information.

### Changed Items:

Supporting Document Schedule Item Changes		
Satisfied - Item:	Rate Review Detail	
Comments:		
Attachment(s):	5- 2014 Rate-Rule Schedule & Rate Review Detail.pdf	
Previous Version		
Satisfied - Item:	Rate Review Detail	
Comments:		
Attachment(s):	5 - 2014 Rate Review Detail Supporting Document.pdf	

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

# Response 4

#### Comments:

The URRT has been uploaded as an xls doc.

### Related Objection 4

Comments: Please provide the Unifed rate review template in a xls format as we are not able to open the xml.

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

Supporting Document Schedule Item Changes		
Satisfied - Item:	Unified Rate Review Template	
Comments:		
Attachment(s):	UnifiedRateReviewSubmission-CO PPO.xml H1_SBE_CO_PPO_unified_rate_review-fix.xls	
Previous Version		
Satisfied - Item:	Unified Rate Review Template	
Comments:		
Attachment(s):	UnifiedRateReviewSubmission-CO PPO.xml	

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

# Response 5

#### Comments:

A revised Actuarial memorandum has been uploaded under the supporting documents.

# Related Objection 5

Applies To:

- Actuarial Memorandum (Supporting Document)

Comments: Please provide a better detail of the reason for this filing. Regulation 4-2-11 section 6 (A) Reason(s) for the rate filing: A statement whether this is a new filing, a rate revision, or a new option being added to an existing form. If the filing is a rate revision, the reason for the revision should be stated.

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

Supporting Document Schedule Item Changes		
Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum	
Comments:		
Attachment(s):	2 - Actuarial Memorandum_HIC (2014.01.01).pdf	
Previous Version		
Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum	
Comments:		
Attachment(s):	2 - Actuarial Memorandum CO HIC 2014_01_01.pdf	

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

#### Response 6

#### Comments:

A revised Actuarial memorandum has been uploaded under the supporting documents.

## Related Objection 6

Applies To:

- Actuarial Memorandum (Supporting Document)

Comments: Regulation 4-2-11 section 6 (F) Please provide the effects of the law changes, please see is not acceptable. Please indicate which of the following PPACA benefits your plan has implemented:

Eliminate Annual Dollar Limits on Essential Benefits, Section 2711 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of the PPACA

Eliminate Lifetime Dollar Limits on Essential Benefits, Section 2711 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of the PPACA

Eliminate Pre-existing Condition Exclusions for Enrollees Under Age 19, Section 2711 of the PHSA/Section 1201 of the PPACA

Prohibit Rescissions, Section 2712 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of PPACA

Preventive Services, Section 2713 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of the PPACA

Extends Dependent Coverage for Children Until age 26, Section 2714 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of the PPACA

Appeals Process, Section 2719 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of the PPACA

Emergency Services, Section 2719A of the PHSA/Section 10101 of the PPACA

Access to Pediatricians, Section 2719A of the PHSA/Section 10101 of the PPACA

Access to OB/GYNs, Section 2719A of the PHSA/Section 10101 of the PPACA

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

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## Changed Items:

Supporting Document Schedule Item Changes		
Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum	
Comments:		
Attachment(s):	2 - Actuarial Memorandum_HIC (2014.01.01).pdf	
Previous Version		
Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum	
Comments:		
Attachment(s):	2 - Actuarial Memorandum CO HIC 2014_01_01.pdf	

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

# Response 7

#### Comments:

This section has been removed from the Actuarial Memorandum. The targeted loss ratio/benefits ratio can be found under section O of the Actuarial Memorandum.

# Related Objection 7

Applies To:

- Actuarial Memorandum (Supporting Document)

Comments: regulation 4-2-11 section 6 (I) Lifetime loss ratio - no longer applies to health benefit plans)

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

Supporting Document Schedule Item Changes		
Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum	
Comments:		
Attachment(s):	2 - Actuarial Memorandum_HIC (2014.01.01).pdf	
Previous Version		
Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum	
Comments:		
Attachment(s):	2 - Actuarial Memorandum CO HIC 2014_01_01.pdf	

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

## Response 8

#### Comments:

A revised Actuarial memorandum has been uploaded under the supporting documents.

# Related Objection 8

Applies To:

- Actuarial Memorandum (Supporting Document)

Comments: regulation 4-2-11 (H) PPACA rate filing procedure (G) Please provide the profit and contingencies (J) with all the retentions. Please provide the targeted Loss ratio.

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

Supporting Document Schedule Item Changes		
Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum	
Comments:		
Attachment(s):	2 - Actuarial Memorandum_HIC (2014.01.01).pdf	
Previous Version		
Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum	
Comments:		
Attachment(s):	2 - Actuarial Memorandum CO HIC 2014_01_01.pdf	

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

#### Response 9

#### Comments:

A revised Actuarial memorandum has been uploaded under the supporting documents.

## Related Objection 9

Applies To:

- Actuarial Memorandum (Supporting Document)

Comments: regulation 4-2-11 section 6 (K) PPACA rate filing procedure (I) COMPLETE EXPLANATION AS TO HOW THE PROPOSED RATES WERE DETERMINED: The memorandum must contain a section with a complete explanation as to how the proposed rates were determined, including all underlying rating assumptions, with detailed support for each assumption. The Division of Insurance may return a rate filing if adequate support for each rating assumption is not provided. This explanation may be on an aggregate expected loss basis or as a per-member-per-month (PMPM) basis, but must completely explain how the proposed rates were determined. The memorandum must adequately support all material assumptions and methodologies used to develop the expected losses or pure premiums. Please provide on the Actuarial Memoradum, please see is not acceptable.

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

Supporting Document Schedule Item Changes		
Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum	
Comments:		
Attachment(s):	2 - Actuarial Memorandum_HIC (2014.01.01).pdf	
Previous Version		
Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum	
Comments:		
Attachment(s):	2 - Actuarial Memorandum CO HIC 2014_01_01.pdf	

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

#### Response 10

#### Comments:

A revised Actuarial memorandum has been uploaded under the supporting documents.

## Related Objection 10

Applies To:

- Actuarial Memorandum (Supporting Document)

Comments: Regulation 4-2-11 section 6 (L) rate filing procedure (J)Trend: This section must describe the trend assumptions used in pricing. These assumptions must each be separately discussed, adequately supported, and also be appropriate for the specific line of business, product design, benefit configuration, and time period. Any and all factors affecting the projection of future claims must be presented and adequately supported. Please see is not acceptable.

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

Supporting Document Schedule Item Changes	
Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	2 - Actuarial Memorandum_HIC (2014.01.01).pdf
Previous Version	
Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	2 - Actuarial Memorandum CO HIC 2014_01_01.pdf

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

#### Response 11

#### Comments:

A revised Actuarial memorandum has been uploaded under the supporting documents.

## Related Objection 11

Applies To:

- Actuarial Memorandum (Supporting Document)

Comments: regulation 4-2-11 section 6 (M) rate filing procedure (K) Credibility: The memorandum shall discuss the credibility of the Colorado data with the proposed rates based upon as much Colorado data as possible. Collateral data used to support partially credible Colorado data, including published data sources (including affiliated companies) must be provided and applicability of the use of such data must be discussed. Please see is not acceptable.

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

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Supporting Document Schedule Item Changes	
Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	2 - Actuarial Memorandum_HIC (2014.01.01).pdf
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Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	2 - Actuarial Memorandum CO HIC 2014_01_01.pdf

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

#### Response 12

#### Comments:

The projected premium, incurred claims and benefits ratio over the rating period both with and without the requested rate change can be seen in Exhibit A: Past & Future Projected Experience.

# Related Objection 12

Applies To:

- Actuarial Memorandum (Supporting Document)

Comments: Regulation 4-2-11 section 6 (P) rate filing procedure (N) Benefits Ratio Projections: The memorandum must contain a section projecting the benefits ratio, over the rating period, both with and without the requested rate change. The comparison should be shown in chart form; with projected premiums, projected incurred claims and projected benefits ratio over the rating period, both with and without the requested rate change. The corresponding projection calculations should also be included. For products priced using a lifetime loss ratio standard, such as long-term care, Medicare supplement and long term disability, the projections should include a timeframe as to when the lifetime loss ratio will be achieved. These should match the view rate review detail on requested premium and claims.

SERFF Tracking #: State Tracking #: Company Tracking #: HUMA-129031275 278126

Filing Company: Colorado Humana Insurance Company State: TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number:

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Comments:	
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Previous Version	
Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	2 - Actuarial Memorandum CO HIC 2014_01_01.pdf
Satisfied - Item:	Exhibit A - Past and Future Projected Experience
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	3 - Exhibit A - CO HIC Past & Projected Future Experience.xlsx
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Previous Version	
Satisfied - Item:	Exhibit A - Past and Future Projected Experience
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	3 - Exhibit A - CO HIC Past & Projected Future Experience.xlsx

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

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Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum
Comments:	
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Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	2 - Actuarial Memorandum CO HIC 2014_01_01.pdf
Satisfied - Item:	Exhibit A - Past and Future Projected Experience
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	3 - Exhibit A - CO HIC Past & Projected Future Experience.xlsx
Attachment(3).	3 - Exhibit A - CO HIC Past & Projected Future Experience.pdf
Previous Version	
Satisfied - Item:	Exhibit A - Past and Future Projected Experience
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	3 - Exhibit A - CO HIC Past & Projected Future Experience.xlsx

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

### Response 13

#### Comments:

The Rate Manual, which clearly displays all other rating factors and definitions, has been uploaded as an excel document in addition to the current pdf version.

# Related Objection 13

Applies To:

- Actuarial Memorandum (Supporting Document)

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

Comments: regulation 4-2-11 section 6 (Q) OTHER FACTORS: The memorandum must clearly display or clearly reference all other rating factors and definitions, including the area factors, age factors, gender factors, etc., and support for each of these factors in a new rate filing. The same level of support for changes to any of these factors must be included in renewal rate filings. In addition, the Commissioner expects each carrier to review each of these rating factors at least every five years and provide detailed support for the continued use of each of these factors in a rate filing. Gender factors shall not vary for individual health care coverage effective on or after January 1, 2011. See Section 8.C of this regulation. (Must be provided in excel format)

### Changed Items:

Supporting Document Schedule Item Changes	
Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	2 - Actuarial Memorandum_HIC (2014.01.01).pdf
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Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	2 - Actuarial Memorandum CO HIC 2014_01_01.pdf

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

# Response 14

#### Comments:

Please reference the previously provided experience exhibit under Exhibit A Past and Future Projected Experience section of the Supporting Documentation tab.

## Related Objection 14

Applies To:

- Exhibit A - Past and Future Projected Experience (Supporting Document)

Comments: Regulation 4-2-11 section 6 (N) rate filing procedure (L) DATA REQUIREMENTS: The memorandum must, at a minimum, include earned premium, loss experience data, average covered lives and number of claims, submitted on a Colorado-only basis for at least 3 years. (Must be provided in excel format)

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

Supporting Document Schedule Item Changes	
Satisfied - Item:	Exhibit A - Past and Future Projected Experience
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	3 - Exhibit A - CO HIC Past & Projected Future Experience.xlsx
. ,	3 - Exhibit A - CO HIC Past & Projected Future Experience.pdf
Previous Version	
Satisfied - Item:	Exhibit A - Past and Future Projected Experience
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	3 - Exhibit A - CO HIC Past & Projected Future Experience.xlsx

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

# Response 15

#### Comments:

SERFF functionality will not allow me to update the State Specific tab.

## Related Objection 15

Comments: Please provide all state codes on the state specific tab. (645, 805)

# Changed Items:

No Supporting Documents changed.

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

# Response 16

#### Comments:

Expenses levels are based on the January 31, 2013 Humana individual medical long term forecast of expenses. This forecast incorporates 2012 actuals as a baseline and 2013 budgeted expenses at a national level to project 2014 expenses. For additional detail, please refer to the attached document, CO HIC Benefits Ratio Justification, under the supporting documents tab.

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

## Related Objection 16

Comments: Please explain why your retentions components are different than your 2012 financials for General expenses, commissions, and taxes.

## Changed Items:

No Supporting Documents changed.

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

#### Conclusion:

Sincerely,

Emma Erickson

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

**Product Name:** CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

# **Amendment Letter**

Submitted Date: 07/30/2013

Comments:

Prompted by our phone call with Tom Abel and Cathy Gilliland on July 30th, 2013 at 3:30 pm (CST), we have revised and uploaded our Rate Manual. We removed the term "Mover Rates" from the filing and intend to offer our PPO product in all regions. However, we will not actively market in Rating Areas 1, 2, & 3 (with the exception of Clear Creek, Gilpin, and Park County). Consumers must inquire to purchase or move into the area after purchasing elsewhere. Please note no rates have been changed in this revision.

Please let us know if there are any other adjustments to the filing and/or binder you would like us to make at this time.

Thank you,

Emma Erickson Actuarial Analyst

Changed Items:

No Form Schedule Items Changed.

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number:

Rate/Rule So	chedule Item Changes					
Item No.	Document Name	Affected Form Numbers (Separated with commas)	Rate Action	Rate Action Information	Attachments	Date Submitted
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Previous Versi	ion					
1	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01		New		CO HIC Rate Manual 01_01_2014.pdf,	07/11/2013 By: Emma Erickson
Previous Versi	ion					
1	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01		New		CO HIC Suite C Rate Manual.pdf,	07/01/2013 By: Emma Erickson
Previous Versi	ion					
1	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01		New		CO HIC Suite C Rate Manual.pdf,	06/19/2013 By: Emma Erickson
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1	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01		New		6 - CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01.pdf,	05/15/2013 By: Emma Erickson

No Supporting Documents Changed.

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

# **Amendment Letter**

Submitted Date: 07/17/2013

Comments:

During our July 2nd phone conference with the CO DOI, the following was requested,

1) CO HHP Rate Filing – lower the risk adjustment (initially -8.3%) to be in the range of +/- 5%.

2) CO HIC Rate Filing – provide an explanation for the 15.9% risk adjustment.

The URRT & Actuarial Memorandum were revised accordingly and an explanation of the previously filed 15.9% HIC risk adjustment has been uploaded under the supporting documents tab.

Changed Items:

No Form Schedule Items Changed.

No Rate Schedule Items Changed.

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

**Supporting Document Schedule Item Changes** 

Project Name/Number: /

Actuarial Memorandum and Certifications
COPPOActuarialMemorandumandExhibitsrevised4.pdf
Actuarial Memorandum and Certifications
CO PPO Actuarial Memorandum and Exhibits_revised 3.pdf
Actuarial Memorandum and Certifications
CO PPO Actuarial Memorandum and Exhibits_revised 2.pdf
Unified Rate Review Template
Chillipa Rate Review Template
H1_SBE_CO_PPO_unified_rate_review fix2.xls
Unified Rate Review Template
H1_SBE_CO_PPO_unified_rate_review-fix.xls
Unified Rate Review Template
UnifiedRateReviewSubmission-CO PPO.xml H1_SBE_CO_PPO_unified_rate_review-fix.xls
Unified Rate Review Template

State: Colorado Filing Company:

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Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number:

Comments:
Attachment(s):
UnifiedRateReviewSubmission-CO PPO.xml

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Satisfied - Item:	Risk Adjustment Explanation
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	CO HIC Risk Adjustment Explanation.pdf

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

# **Amendment Letter**

Submitted Date: 07/11/2013

Comments:

As requested by the Division of Insurance during our phone conference, 7/2/2013, we have uploaded an exhibit, under the Supporting Documents tab, that demonstrates our geographic area and network factor build-up.

Changed Items:

No Form Schedule Items Changed.

No Rate Schedule Items Changed.

Supporting Document Schedule Item Changes	
Satisfied - Item:	Geographic Area & Network Factor Build-Up
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	CO GeoNet Build-Up 2014.01.01.pdf

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

# **Amendment Letter**

Submitted Date: 06/19/2013

Comments:

Per our discussion with Michael Muldoon on Wednesday, 6/19/2013, we have revised our trend exhibit to display our annual trend. Additionally our CO Actuarial Memorandum had been updated to reflect this.

Changed Items:

No Form Schedule Items Changed.

No Rate Schedule Items Changed.

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

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Supporting Document S	chedule Item Changes
Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	2 - Actuarial Memorandum_HIC (2014.01.pdf
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Comments:	
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Satisfied - Item:	Actuarial Memorandum
Comments:	
Attachment(s):	2 - Actuarial Memorandum CO HIC 2014_01_01.pdf
Satisfied - Item:	Exhibit B - Trend Exhibits
Comments:	
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Satisfied - Item:	Exhibit B - Trend Exhibits
Comments:	
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Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

# **Note To Filer**

Created By:

Cathy Gilliland on 06/14/2013 09:48 AM

Last Edited By:

Cathy Gilliland

**Submitted On:** 

06/14/2013 09:48 AM

Subject:

FYI

**Comments:** 

05/23/2013 11:08 AM Comments: made by Parry Luther

Changes were made to CO HIC off exchange rates, and thus a new rate data template is needed

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Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

# **Note To Reviewer**

Created By:

Emma Erickson on 05/30/2013 02:21 PM

Last Edited By:

Emma Erickson

**Submitted On:** 

05/30/2013 02:21 PM

Subject:

Revised Rate Sample Per Division's Request

**Comments:** 

The rate sample has been uploaded in the format provided by the Division of Insurance via email recieved 5/29/2013. To comply with recent requests, I have uploaded both in excel and pdf format.

Please let me know if there is anything further I can assist with.

Thank you.

Emma Erickson

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

# **Note To Filer**

Created By:

Cathy Gilliland on 05/23/2013 09:26 AM

Last Edited By:

Cathy Gilliland

**Submitted On:** 

05/23/2013 09:26 AM

Subject:

**URRT** 

**Comments:** 

please provide the URRT in a xls format as we are not able to open the xlm

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

# Post Submission Update Request Processed On 06/05/2013

Status: Allowed

Created By: Emma Erickson
Processed By: Cathy Gilliland

Comments:

**General Information:** 

Field Name Requested Change Prior Value

Product Name CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C CO-71130 & CO-71130-POS

POS

# **Company Rate Information:**

Company Name: Humana Insurance Company

Field NameRequested ChangePrior Value# of Policy Holders Affected for this06171

Program

Written Premium for this Program \$0 \$2227230

Product Names: HumanaOne Suite C PPO: HumanaOne Suite C PPO

Humana Preferred Basic 6350/6350 Plan Humana Preferred Bronze 4850/6350

Plan

Humana Preferred Silver 4250/6250 Plan Humana Preferred Bronze 6300/6300

Plan

Humana Preferred Silver 3650/3650 Plan

FORMS:

New Policy Forms: CO-71130, CO-71130-POS CO-71130

REQUESTED RATE CHANGE INFORMATION:

Member Months: 0 167614

PRIOR RATE:

 Total Earned Premium::
 0.000
 26,882,400.000

 Total Incurred Claims:
 0.000
 19,360,677.000

 Min:
 0.000
 37.000

 Max:
 0.000
 3,202.000

 Weighted Avg.:
 0.000
 203.000

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

# Post Submission Update Request Processed On 06/18/2013

Status: Allowed

Created By: Emma Erickson
Processed By: Cathy Gilliland

Comments:

### **Company Rate Information:**

Company Name: Humana Insurance Company

Field Name Requested Change Prior Value

REQUESTED RATE CHANGE INFORMATION:

Member Months: 167614 0

**REQUESTED RATE:** 

 Projected Earned Premium:
 8,687,169.000
 10,305,208.000

 Projected Incurred Claims:
 6,515,377.000
 7,727,875.000

 State:
 Colorado
 Filing Company:
 Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

**Product Name:** CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

# Form Schedule

Lead F	Lead Form Number: CO-71130							
Item	Schedule Item	Form	Form	Form	Form	Action Specific	Readability	
No.	Status	Name	Number	Туре	Action	Data	Score	Attachments
1		CO Suite C PPO	CO-71130	POLA	Initial			
2		CO Suite C POS	CO-71130-	POLA	Initial			
			POS					

Form Type Legend:

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ADV	Advertising	AEF	Application/Enrollment Form
CER	Certificate	CERA	Certificate Amendment, Insert Page, Endorsement or Rider
DDP	Data/Declaration Pages	FND	Funding Agreement (Annuity, Individual and Group)
MTX	Matrix	NOC	Notice of Coverage
ОТН	Other	OUT	Outline of Coverage
PJK	Policy Jacket	POL	Policy/Contract/Fraternal Certificate
POLA	Policy/Contract/Fraternal Certificate: Amendment, Insert Page, Endorsement or Rider	SCH	Schedule Pages

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Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

# Rate Justification

Rate Methodology

Experience Used for Rate Setting: Humana HIC Individual Block of business data for 2012 2012 Experience Period Loss

Ratio: 75.3oss ratio based on an average of 13,968 enrolled lives.

Annual Health Cost Trends: 9.0Risk Adjustment: 16.3payments expected to the federal Risk Adjustment Program in 2014).

Reinsurance Recoveries: -9.5payments expected from the federal Reinsurance Program in 2014).

Smoking Factor: 10igher rates for smokers at all ages.

Age Rating: 3.0 to 1.0 age rating factor limits for all adults age 21 and over.

Colorado 2014 Overall Average Premium: \$359.73

- \* Federal Reported 2014 Comparable Average Premium: \$359.73
- \* This is reported on the issuer's CMS URRT Form submitted in HIOS. It represents a standardized average premium calculation that is used by CMS for comparing and gauging premium development. It is not necessarily the actual average premium, which is shown in the line above as Colorado 2014 Overall Average Premium.

Premium Retained to Cover Expenses, Taxes Fees and Profits Administrative costs: Expenses the insurance company pays to operate this insurance plan.

This includes all expenses not directly related to paying claims, such as, but not limited to, salaries of company employees, the cost of the company's offices and equipment, commissions to agents to sell and service policies, subsidies to cover legally required plans such as portability, and taxes.

Final Disposition Letter

Profit: The amount of money remaining after claims and administrative expenses are paid. Margin is the comparable term for a nonprofit insurance company.

Average premium retention is 25.0hown as follows:

f Premium

Issuer Primary Expense and Profit Retention

Retained

Administrative Expenses:

11.10 ommissions:

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2.40 IT - Federal Income Taxes (includes taxes on profit

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Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

# **Rate Information**

Rate data applies to filing.

Filing Method: File and Use

Rate Change Type: Neutral
Overall Percentage of Last Rate Revision: 0.000%

**Effective Date of Last Rate Revision:** 

Filing Method of Last Filing:

# **Company Rate Information**

Company F	Company Rate Change:	Overall % Indicated Change:		Overall % Rate Impact:	o	Written Premius Change	for	# of Police Holders for this F	Affected	Writter Premit this Pr	ım for	Maximum % Change (where req'd)	Minimum % Change : (where req'd)
				ī		this Pro	gram:						
Humana Insurance N Company	New Product	0.000%		0.000%		\$0		0		\$0		0.000%	0.000%
Product 1	Туре:	НМО	PPC	)	EPO	РО	S	HSA	HDH	Р	FFS	Other	
Covered	Lives:												
Policy Ho	olders:												

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Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

# **Rate Review Detail**

**COMPANY:** 

Company Name: Humana Insurance Company

HHS Issuer Id: 79509

Product Names: HumanaOne Suite C PPO:

Humana Preferred Basic 6350/6350 Plan Humana Preferred Bronze 4850/6350 Plan Humana Preferred Silver 4250/6250 Plan Humana Preferred Bronze 6300/6300 Plan Humana Preferred Silver 3650/3650 Plan

Trend Factors: No trend factors

**FORMS:** 

New Policy Forms: CO-71130, CO-71130-POS

Affected Forms: CO-71037-POS, GN-71037-01, GN-70129

Other Affected Forms:

#### REQUESTED RATE CHANGE INFORMATION:

Change Period: Other
Member Months: 167,614
Benefit Change: None

Percent Change Requested: Min: 0.0 Max: 0.0 Avg: 0.0

**PRIOR RATE:** 

Total Earned Premium: 0.00
Total Incurred Claims: 0.00

Annual \$: Min: 0.00 Max: 0.00 Avg: 0.00

**REQUESTED RATE:** 

Projected Earned Premium: 8,687,169.00 Projected Incurred Claims: 6,515,377.00

Annual \$: Min: 139.00 Max: 1,248.00 Avg: 360.00

State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

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Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

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# Rate/Rule Schedule

Item No.	Schedule Item Status	Document Name	Affected Form Numbers (Separated with commas)	Rate Action	Rate Action Information	Attachments
1		CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01		New		CO HIC Rate Manual 2014.01.01.pdf,
2		CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01		New		

# CO-HIC January 1, 2014 Rate Filing

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# **Average Premium**

\$359.67

# Plan Designs & Factors

								Off-Exchange
Plan Name	HIOS Plan ID	Plan Suite	Plan Tier	Deductible	Coinsurance	Max OOP	Rx Deductible	(includes Ped. Dental)
Humana Preferred Basic 6350/6350 Plan	79509CO0550001	Suite C - Rx4	Catastrophic	\$6,350	100%	\$6,350	Integrated	0.7341
Humana Preferred Bronze 4850/6350 Plan	79509CO0550003	Suite C - Rx4	Bronze	\$4,850	80%	\$6,350	\$1,500	1.0260
Humana Preferred Silver 4250/6250 Plan	79509CO0550004	Suite C - Rx4	Silver	\$4,250	80%	\$6,250	\$1,500	1.0730
Humana Preferred Bronze 6300/6300 Plan	79509CO0550002	Suite C - Rx4	Bronze	\$6,300	100%	\$6,300	Integrated	0.9120
Humana Preferred Silver 3650/3650 Plan	79509CO0550005	Suite C - Rx4	Silver	\$3,650	100%	\$3,650	Integrated	1.0545

Average Factor 1.0000

Note: The above listed plans are also offered on our POS Network. Those POS plan factors can be found in the rate manual submitted under HUMA-129026181.

# **Age Factors**

Age of Member	Factor
Fourth+ Dependents	0.0000
0-20	0.5372
21	0.8461
22	0.8461
23	0.8461
24	0.8461
25	0.8494
26	0.8664
27	0.8867
28	0.9197
29	0.9467
30	0.9603
31	0.9806
32	1.0009
33	1.0136
34	1.0271
35	1.0339
36	1.0406
37	1.0474
38	1.0542
39	1.0677
40	1.0813
41	1.1016
42	1.1210
43	1.1481
44	1.1819
45	1.2217
46	1.2691
47	1.3224
48	1.3833
49	1.4434
50	1.5111
51	1.5779
52	1.6515
53	1.7260
54	1.8063
55	1.8867
56	1.9738
57	2.0618
58	2.1558
59	2.2023
60	2.2962
61	2.3774
62	2.4307
63	2.4976
64+	2.5382

Demonstration of Compliance				
Factor compared to age 21 0.000				
0.635				
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2.548				
2.603				
2.714				
2.810				
2.873				
2.952				
3.000				

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Average Factor	1.0000

# **Tobacco Use Factors**

The following factors will be applied based on the member's tobacco usage, as determined by the tobacco usage guidelines.

Age of Member	Non-Tobacco User	Tobacco User
0-20	0.9941	0.9941
21	0.9941	1.0935
22	0.9941	1.0935
23	0.9941	1.0935
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62	0.9941	1.0935
63	0.9941	1.0935
64+	0.9941	1.0935

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Demonstration of Compliance					
Factor compared to Non-Tobacco User					
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Average Factor 1.0000

# **Geographic & Network Factors**

The following factors will be applied according to the policyholder's place of residence.

		Geographic	Network
Rating Area	Reference Market Name	PPO	PPO
1	Boulder	0.9212	1.0000
2	Colorado Springs	0.8066	1.0000
3	Denver	0.9031	1.0000
4	Fort Collins-Loveland	0.9870	1.0000
5	Grand Junction	1.0490	1.0000
6	Greeley	0.9923	1.0000
7	Pueblo	1.1235	1.0000
8	Other CO-East South	1.1238	1.0000
9	Other CO-East North	1.0968	1.0000
10	Other CO-West	1.1651	1.0000
11	Other CO-Resort	1.0802	1.0000

Average Factor 1.0000

Note: Rating Areas 1, 2, & 3 (with the exception of Clear Creek, Gilpin, and Lake County) will not be actively marketed. Consumers must inquire to purchase or move into the area after purchasing elsewhere. POS factors can be found in the rate manual submitted under HUMA-129026181

# **Definition of Service Areas**

New business selling areas are defined by groups of counties. For reference only. For complete plan availability, see the Service Area template.

		New Business Only					
		Network					
Rating Area	Reference Market Name	POS	PPO				
1	Boulder	Boulder	Boulder				
2	Colorado Springs	El Paso, Teller	El Paso, Teller				
3	Denver	Adams, Arapahoe, Broomfield, Denver, Douglas, Elbert, Jefferson	Clear Creek, Gilpin, Park, Adams, Araphoe, Broomfield, Denver, Douglas, Elbert, Jefferson				
4	Fort Collins-Loveland	n/a	Larimer				
5	Grand Junction	n/a	Mesa				
6	Greeley	n/a	Weld				
7	Pueblo	n/a	Pueblo				
8	Other CO-East South	n/a	Alamosa, Baca, Bent, Chaffee, Cheyenne, Conejos, Costilla, Crowley, Custer, Fremont, Huerfano, Kiowa, Kit Carson, Las Animas, Lincoln, Otero, Prowers, Rio Grande				
9	Other CO-East North	n/a	Logan, Morgan, Phillips, Sedgwick, Washington, Yuma				
10	Other CO-West	n/a	Archuleta, Delta, Grand, Jackson, La Plata, Lake, Moffat, Montezuma, Montrose, Rio Blanco, Routt				
11	Other CO-Resort	n/a	Eagle, Garfield, Pitkin, Summit				

Note: Rating Areas 1, 2, & 3 under the PPO Network (with the exception of Clear Creek, Gilpin, and Lake County) will not be actively marketed. A consumer must inquire to purchase or move into the area after purchasing elsewhere.

# **Modal Factors**

The following factors will be applied according to the payment mode selected. These factors will be applied at the end of the rate calculation.

Payment Frequency	Factor
Monthly	1.0000
Quarterly	3.0000
Semi-Annual	6.0000

An administrative fee of \$5 will be charged for each paper bill generated and each recurring credit card transaction. The fee is waived for electronic funds transmission (EFT). A \$25 fee is charged for checks returned with, or Electronic Fund Transactions resulting in, insufficient funds. A \$25 fee is charged for late payment and a \$25 fee is charged to reinstate a lapsed policy.

# **Algorithm Details**

Step through this algorithm for each member.

	Average Premium
X	Plan Factor
X	Age Factor
X	Tobacco Use Factor
X	Geographic Factor
X	Network Factor
=	Subtotal (rounded to nearest penny)
X	Modal Factor
=	Rate

# **Sample Rate Calculation**

Plan: Humana Preferred Silver 3650/3650 Plan Availability: Off-Exchange (includes Ped. Dental) Tobacco Use: Non-Tobacco User

Rating Area: 4

Reference Market: Fort Collins-Loveland

Network: PPO Payment Mode: Monthly

		Mbr #1	Mbr #2	Mbr #3	Mbr #4	Mbr #5	Mbr #6	
	Age	: 40	32	7	5	3	1	
	Average Premium	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	
Х	Plan Factor	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	
Х	Age Factor	1.0813	1.0009	0.5372	0.5372	0.5372	0.0000	
Х	Tobacco Use Factor	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	
Х	Geographic Factor	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	
Х	Network Factor	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	
=	Subtotal (rounded to nearest penny)	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	
Х	Modal Factor	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	
=	Rate	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A

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# **Supporting Document Schedules**

Bypassed - Item:	HR-1 Form (H)
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# Humana Insurance Company Colorado

**HIOS Identification: 79509** 

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# **Purpose:**

The purpose of this actuarial memorandum is to provide supporting justification to the Unified Rate Review template with the goal of demonstrating compliance with the market rating rules, as well as reasonableness of any proposed rates.

In addition, this actuarial memorandum provides required actuarial certifications related to:

- the methodology used to calculate the AV Metal Value for each plan
- the appropriateness of the essential health benefit portion of premium upon which advanced payment of premium tax credits (APTCs) are based
- the index rate is developed in accordance with federal regulations and the index rate along with allowable modifiers are used in the development of plan specific premium rates

This filing should be used for no other purposes.

This memorandum was prepared by a qualified actuary, and is intended to be reviewed by a qualified actuary.

#### **Reasons for Rate Increases**

This actuarial memorandum accommodates both rate increases for our terminated products, which will be closed to new entrants. The following paragraphs detail the components of the change in index rate for our current in force non-grandfathered terminated products and used in development for our new 2014 products.

Following a summary of the cumulative impacts at the beginning of this memo, we will walk through each item, how it impacts 2014 index rates, and the quantification. 2012 experience was used as the basis for the projected 2014 rates.

0.0%

176.2%

A. Morbidity	116.1%	
B. Medical Inflation & Trend	7.1%	(This is a 2 year figure, 3.5% annually)
C. Increased Utilization	10.6%	(This is a 2 year figure, 5.2% annually)
D. Change in Benefits	6.3%	
E. Change in Demographics	1.5%	

Other Rate	Increse	Drivers
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G. New Taxes & Fees	1.4%
H. Reinsurance Program	-7.9%
I. Risk Adjustment	0.0%
Total	-6.6%
Grand Total	157.9%

**Rate Increases Driven by Changes in Allowed Claims** 

F. Network Impacts.....

Total.....

A. Single risk pool experience which is more adverse than that assumed in the current rates & morbidity:

This adjustment is intended to capture the change in underlying morbidity for the risk pool in 2014 compared to the current risk pool. Due to the removal of pre-existing condition limitations combined with 2014 rules disallowing underwriting rate adjustment or exclusionary riders, it is anticipated that the average morbidity for policies issued in 2014 will be much greater than the average morbidity in the individual market today. The new, expected "influx" of uninsured members, is a key driver to the change in the risk pool.

Morbidity levels are expected to be similar to those of small group given that the underwriting will be similar between the segments in 2014. It is reasonable to assume that individual morbidity will be higher since the individual market is likely to experience greater antiselection where the sole purpose of purchasing individual coverage is based on need whereas, in the small group market, it is a byproduct of being employed by the organization. Similarly, the mere requirement of being healthy enough to retain employment may lead to lower morbidity where this requirement does not exist in the individual market. For these reasons, the starting point for developing the 2014 guaranteed issue impact is gauging the relative morbidity between the individual and small group markets today. External consultants were also worked with to estimate the impact of the new single risk pool experience.

Increased utilization due to the impact of member behavioral changes when on a plan with richer benefits must be accounted for. This excludes the impact of health status. Further detail on the impact of increased utilization by plan and level of cost sharing subsidization is detailed later in the actuarial memorandum.

The impact of morbidity in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 116.1%.

# B. Medical inflation & medical cost claims trend:

Rate increases required to account for increases in medical claim costs were selected based on historical trend results, anticipated claim trend (excluding Affordable Care Act impacts) for 2014, and separated for new membership compared to existing membership to account for the changes in renewal cycle to accommodate implementation of the Affordable Care Act (ACA) compliant products. The impact of medical inflation and medical cost claims trend from midpoint of 2012 to midpoint of 2014 in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 7.1%, or 3.5% annualized.

#### C. Increased Utilization

Rate increases required to account for increases in utilization were selected based on historical trend results, anticipated claim trend (excluding Affordable Care Act impacts) for 2014, and separated for new membership compared to existing membership to account for the changes in renewal cycle to accommodate implementation of the Affordable Care Act (ACA) compliant products.

The impact of increased utilization from midpoint of 2012 to midpoint of 2014 in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 10.6%, or 5.1% annualized.

### D. Change in Benefits

All non-grandfathered plans must cover the essential health benefits package in 2014. The specifics of the essential health benefits are contained within the benchmark plan selected in each state.

There are two high level categories of benefits that require rate increases to account for in the individual market: behavioral services and other state-specific services.

Current plans do cover behavioral services but also impose visit limits as well as lower coinsurance rates and separate deductibles. The modification of cost sharing requires additional rate to cover the expected increase cost of services. State specific requirements embedded in the benchmark plan must also be provided and rates adjusted in accordance.

Please note, maternity coverage is already mandated in Colorado. An adjustment was made to account for the level of maternity claims expected in 2014 compared to the low level of maternity claims in the base experience period.

The impact of change in benefits in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 6.3%.

### E. Change in Demographics

The change in demographics is meant to represent the shift in area mix of business distribution between 2012 and the new 2014 environment.

With the anticipated growth for 2014 and strategic selection of where products will be sold both on and off-exchange, there is an expected impact to the distribution of business by area. Since claim costs are known to vary by area, it is important to reflect this change.

The impact of change in demographics in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 1.5%.

#### F. Network Impacts

Existing non-grandfathered membership will remain on existing networks in 2014 unless those members electively choose to move to a new network and product.

New products in 2014 will be tied to new networks in many markets, particularly on exchange where network selection was made in order to achieve lower claim costs. There are four components to the network savings: improved network discounts, removal of out-of-network coverage, new pharmacy network and formulary, and care coordinator savings.

There is no network impact in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company.

#### G. New Taxes & Fees Imposed on the Insurer

There are two additional taxes and fees for 2014 that must be considered in the pricing:

- 1) 1.4% additional federal tax
- 2) Exchange user fee of 0.0% of premium

The additional federal tax is the \$8 billion tax assessed on the insurance industry for 2014. Humana's estimated liability based on net premium share of the market is \$505M. Price adjustments are required to reflect the liability compared to the estimated 2014 company premium revenue. This is not tax-deductible, the appropriate increased federal income tax liability is captured in the income tax line in the expense exhibit discussed later in the actuarial memorandum.

The exchange user fee applies only to on-exchange business but must be spread across all business.

The impact of new taxes and fees imposed on the insurer in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 1.4%.

## H. Changes in payments from and contributions to the Federal Transitional Reinsurance Program

Rate adjustment to account for projected reinsurance recoveries net of reinsurance premium were also included in the rate development. Details of how projections were established and the corresponding magnitude are discussed at greater length later in the memorandum.

The impact driven by the Federal Transitional Reinsurance Program in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is -7.9%.

## I. Risk Adjustment

The impact of risk adjustment in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 0.0%.

# **Additional Commentary on Reasons for Rate Increases**

It should be noted that given the timeline of release of regulations, template requirements, and submission deadlines, pricing methodologies different from those prescribed by the Unified Rate Review Template were employed to develop 2014 pricing. Existing non-grandfathered business will be impacted by the elimination of rating factors utilized previously.

Removal of durational rating factors

Removal of underwriting rate-ups

Removal of spouse discount

Removal of preferred rating

Removal of family structure factors on H.S.A. Qualified plans

New rating rule capping the dependent premiums at 3 members

## **Experience Period Premium and Claims**

Paid Through Date: February 28, 2013

Premiums net of MLR rebate: \$ 27,402,500 MLR Rebates: \$ 520,099

Estimated Rebates to be included: \$ -

Methodology for estimated Rebates: Rebates are the year-end accrual for 2012. The estimate was based on actual claims through the end of September 2012, with data projected through the end of the year. Since we have no state and legal entities that are fully credible in 2012 on their own, the 2012 rebates are based on two years worth of data. The 2011 data utilizes the submission used to generate rebates for the 2011 experience. Expense adjustments allowed under the rebate rules are estimated based on expense experience and future expectations.

	Allowe	ed Claims	Incuri	red Claims
Claims that were processed through the issuer's				
claim system	\$	28,079,365	\$	18,362,540
Claims that were processed outside the issuer's claim				
system	\$	2,017,805	\$	528,525
Claims incurred but not paid as of paid through date	\$	748,182	\$	469,611

The processed claims are claims incurred in 2012 paid through February 2013. The allowed amount comes directly from the claims system after eligibility and network discounts are applied.

To estimate incurred claims, reserve cells are categorized at the product and type of service detail and development methods with various averaging techniques are utilized, most commonly a six-month average excluding the high and low factors. Smoothing techniques are employed, including workday and seasonality adjustments. Changes in claim volume are included in these estimates by adjusting for pended claims.

For each month of incurral, the incurred but not reported amount equals the incurred claims estimate minus claims paid to date. Follow-up studies, including monthly historical reserve restatement analyses, are regularly performed to test the accuracy of the reserving methodology and suggest possible improvements.

Allowed but not reported estimates are developed utilizing the combination of the incurred but not reported estimate and the incurred to allowed ratio of historical claims.

#### **Benefit Categories**

The Benefit Categories are defined as follows:

Inpatient Hospital: Includes non-capitated services for medical, surgical, maternity, mental health and substance abuse, skilled nursing, and other services provided in an inpatient facility setting and billed by the facility.

Outpatient Hospital: Includes non-capitated services for surgery, emergency room, lab, radiology, therapy, observation and other services provided in an outpatient facility setting and billed by the facility. The Outpatient Hospital benefit category uses a combination of both visits and services to determine the utilization per 1,000. For items such as Outpatient Surgery and Emergency Room, where multiple services are rendered and can be billed together, visits are used for the measurement units. For single items that can be billed separately, such as Outpatient Therapy or MRI, services are used for the measurement units.

Professional: Includes non-capitated primary care, specialist, therapy, laboratory, radiology, and other professional services not billed by the facility. The Professional benefit category uses a combination of both visits and services to determine the utilization per 1,000. For items such as Primary Care or Specialist Office visits, where multiple services are rendered and can be billed together, visits are used for the measurement units. For single items that can be billed separately, such as Therapy or MRI, services are used for the measurement units.

Other Medical: Includes non-capitated ambulance, home health care, DME, prosthetics, supplies, vision exams, dental services and other services. The Other Medical benefit category uses a combination of both visits and services to determine the utilization per 1,000. For items such as Home Health visits, where multiple services are rendered and can be billed together, visits are used for the measurement units. For single items that can be billed separately, such as DME, services are used for the measurement units. Capitation: Includes all services provided under one or more capitated arrangements.

Prescription Drug: Includes drugs dispensed by a pharmacy. Costs are net of rebates received from drug manufacturers, as required.

#### **Projection Factors**

## 116.1% Changes in the Morbidity of the Population Insured [A]

This adjustment is intended to capture the change in underlying marketwide morbidity for the risk pool in 2014 compared to the current risk pool. To calculate the change in morbidity, both internal pricing analysis and consultant reviews were utilized. Internal modeling considered the relative morbidity of the current uninsured market, combined with the relative morbidity of the membership on employer plans and the migration between segments. It is additionally anticipated that the resulting morbidity for the new 2014 business that will be issued in the individual market will be slightly higher than the morbidity levels of the small group market in 2014. Intuitively, morbidity levels similar to those of small group are expected given that the underwriting will be similar between the segments in 2014. The fact that individual morbidity will be higher is also a reasonable assumption since the individual market is likely to experience greater anti-selection where the sole purpose of purchasing individual coverage is based on need whereas in the small group market, it is a by-product of being employed by the organization. Similarly the mere requirement of being healthy enough to retain employment may lead to lower morbidity where this requirement does not exist in the individual market.

This data was adjusted to account for relative morbidity differences between the two segments, geographic mix differences, anticipated difference between the coverage of benefits, level of large claims, and new presence of richer benefits inducing additional demand. Analysis included consideration for the amount of new membership for the issuer at a higher morbidity level compared to the amount of existing membership at a lower morbidity level and change in renewal patterns. Internal modeling utilized consultant feedback for both growth factor estimates and also as a reasonability check.

The impact of morbidity, part of [A] above, is 86.8%.

The policy reserve adjustment is a portion of the MLR calculation that is unique to individual medical for policies effective in 2013 and earlier.

It is an MLR leveling mechanism that is needed to account for the fact that early duration loss ratios are significantly lower than later duration loss ratios.

The factors used for this adjustment were developed by comparing the claims over premium to claims plus change in policy reserves over premium in the experience period.

The change in reserves is the amount intended to levelize the claims plus change in policy reserves over premium ratio over the course of the policy life and therefore is used as a measure for how much the claims need to be modified by to get to an average lifetime level of morbidity. The source of the policy reserve data is the change in policy reserve information for the single risk pool.

The impact of the policy reserve adjustment, part of [A] above, is 9.4%.

[B] Medical Inflation & Trend and [C] Increased Utilization are discussed below.

The plan mix adjustment represents the impact to the allowed claims due to the anticipated change in benefit selection patterns between the base 2012 experience period and projected 2014 rating period.

This state's 2012 experience base is comprised of a relatively leaner benefit plan mix than we expect to have in 2014, due to the more select, healthier composition of the population underlying it.

In order to account for the absence of such positive selection in a more standard 2014 population, the allowed claims have increased.

This impact was quantified by comparing the anticipated 2014 benefit plan distribution against that which underlies the state's specific 2012 experience base.

Each was weighted by 2012 premiums for each benefit plan, normalized for the difference in paid to allowed ratio.

The impact of the plan mix adjustment, part of [A] above, is 5.8%.

### 6.3% Changes in Benefits [D]

As outlined in the "Reasons for Rate Increases" portion of the memorandum, this reflects the changes in benefits available to membership including adding maternity benefits, modification for behavioral health services cost-sharing and state mandated benefits as function of the benchmark plan. The data used to derive the estimated impact of adding maternity coverage was based on Humana Small Group data since many Humana individual plans currently do not include maternity coverage in the state. The methodology employed was comparing the level of maternity claims compared to the total claims. This was adjusted to account for anticipated increase in maternity incident rates given the mix of business differences between small group and individual by federal poverty levels. The estimated impact of the contraceptive coverage under the Women's Preventive Care legislation was additionally taken into account as an offset to the higher incidence rates.

The data used to derive the estimated impact of changes in member cost-sharing levels for behavioral health services was based on small group data as well. This exercise started with an analysis of behavioral health claims compared to total and compared the marginal benefit ratio of the new and current plans that will result due to the Federal Mental Health Parity requirements. State specific mandated benefits based on the benchmark plans were determined individually using similar methodologies.

## 1.5% Changes in Demographics [E]

This factor represents the impact to the allowed claims with respect to the change in demographics between the base 2012 experience period and the expected demographic mix in 2014.

The process used to derive the change in area began with the distribution of business in 2012 and expected in 2014 by state and legal entity. Each of these was weighted with average premium per member per month in each state and legal entity market. The change in the overall state and legal entity's weighted premium per member per month dictated the expected impact due to the shift to the new 2014 geographic distribution. Age and gender were held constant in this exercise.

## 0.0% Other Adjustments - Network Impact [F]

This factor represents the impact to the allowed claims with the presence of new networks on new products in 2014 in many markets. Data used to evaluate this claim impact is based on Humana claims at a corporate level as well as the individual market. To generate the estimated impact, network savings were generated relative to the base network underlying the current products.

### 18.4% Trend Factors: Cost & Utilization [B & C]

The cost trend captures pure unit cost changes from midpoint 2012 to midpoint 2014, calculated using the same basket of services each period, due to price/contract negotiations and provider distribution changes. Inpatient Hospital, Outpatient Hospital, Professional, Capitation and Other Medical cost trends are developed based on historical area specific cost trends from Humana's Individual Commercial block of business data. Future cost trends are developed based on expected changes in Humana's Commercial contracts.

Pharmacy cost trends are developed based on historical brand, generic, and specialty drug trends from Humana's Commercial data. Future cost trends are developed based on expected changes in these pharmacy contracts.

These contractual impacts will be applicable to all members regardless of risk class.

#### Utilization trend:

Using Humana's Trend Quantification and Projection model, a baseline utilization trend is developed using Humana's Individual Commercial block of business historical medical claims data from 2008 - 2012. The historical baseline utilization trend is developed by removing all known impacts to utilization net trend such as demographics, geography, duration, customer changes, benefit changes, new health technologies, utilization management initiatives, and changes in pertinent days. An economic regression model, based on consumer sentiment, personal disposable income, hospital construction, and high-tech medical equipment spend, is then fit to this historical baseline utilization data to project the future block of business baseline utilization trend for 2013 and 2014.

A midpoint to midpoint methodology is applied to determine the applicable baseline utilization trend, which incorporates 2012q3 and 2012q4 actual results at the state and legal entity level with the block of business baseline utilization trend for 2013 and 2014. This results in baseline utilization trends that vary at the state and legal entity level.

Other components are added to the baseline utilization trend to develop the total utilization trend provided. These include the following:

- Pertinent days Captures changes in the calendar, recognizing that health care utilization varies by day of the week and reporting periods contain varying weekday mix and count. This impact is developed through the use of an external consultant's model which is uploaded with Humana's Commercial claims data.
- New Health Technologies Captures the impact of new health technologies and procedures. An external consulting firm researches new technologies and develops per member per month impacts. These impacts are customized to Humana's Commercial business based on membership and coverage policy.
- Management Initiatives Captures savings for Humana initiatives designed to bend trend by managing utilization, such as case management, disease management, and nurse programs. These initiatives are evaluated by an internal actuarial organization tasked with evaluating the effectiveness of the initiatives. Evaluations are done through a collaborative effort involving clinical and other operational areas. Projected savings are calculated by determining prospective changes to impacted metric values, which are determined by analyzing historical metric values as well as through discussions with clinical and operational areas. Savings are reviewed with leadership to ensure appropriateness of assumptions. This describes the development of the core utilization trend. All impacts from healthcare reform have been removed and are included in the "Population Risk/Morbidity" and "Other" adjustments from Worksheet 1 to prevent double counting of any impacts.

#### **Credibility Manual Rate Development**

## Source and Appropriateness of Experience Data Used, Adjustments Made to the Data, Inclusion of Capitation Payments

To credibility adjust this block of business, a credibility manual consisting of slight modifications to 2014 market projections was utilized.

Source data utilized for the credbility manual calculation includes Colorado Humana Insurance Company utilization per 1000 that mirrors the 2014 projected experience, adjusting to reflect the overall credibility of the block of business that we apply in pricing to ensure adequacy of rates.

The average cost per service is driven by the Colorado Humana Insurance Company 2014 projected experience in order to maintain representation of the provider contracts and distribution mix represented in the allowed claim derivation, also adjusted to reflect the credibility of the block of business to ensure pricing adequacy.

We do not expect to have services in the projection period provided under a capitation arrangement.

## **Credibility of Experience**

The state of Colorado has mandated a level of 24,000 member months for full credibility. Per that mandate, our credibility weight methodology has been adjusted to reflect utilizing the following equation: square root(member months in experience period/24000).

To account for the presence of Colorado Humana Insurance Company experience in the credibility manual, the credibility level afore mentioned has been reduced by a factor of the expected 2014 membership relative to nationwide.

#### Paid to Allowed Ratio

The anticipated paid to allowed average factor over the projection period was developed by separately considering the anticipated paid to allowed factors by individual plan tier.

Once calculated, projected member month weights for each plan tier (consistent with those provided in Worksheet 2) were applied to these paid to allowed factors to produce an overall anticipated paid to allowed average factor of 58.5%.

The individual plan tier paid to allowed factors were developed based on an internal pricing model with underlying utilization and costs reflective of a standard population equal to that of the anticipated membership in the overall 2014 risk pool. These values were developed in accordance with generally accepted actuarial principles and methodologies.

#### **Risk Adjustment and Reinsurance**

## **Projected Risk Adjustment PMPM**

We are reflecting an overall neutral impact of the risk adjustment program (\$0.00 PMPM) on this legal entity in 2014 in the build-up of our single risk pool premium average rate, PMPM.

#### **Projected Reinsurance Recoveries Net of Reinsurance Premium**

Reinsurance recoveries were calculated using claims data from the simulated populations mentioned above. Humana Small Group membership was used to represent the risk of new enrollees in 2014. This is expected to be a reasonable approximation of this cohort's risk characteristics. Humana Individual membership was used to model the risk of members renewing in 2014. The recoveries in column E of Exhibit 1 are a blend of these two populations. Paid claims were calculated for each member based on their allowed claims and the plan selected in the simulation. As specified by HHS, recoveries were calculated for members with total calendar year claims exceeding the \$60,000 attachment point. The recoveries apply an 80% coinsurance rate up to a cap of \$250,000.

To ensure statistical credibility, the estimate was calculated using nationwide membership and experience. However, the Colorado specific estimate was calculated by adjusting the nationwide allowed claims for the unit cost differences in Colorado.

A portion of reinsurance recoveries are offset by the reinsurance assessment of \$5.25 PMPM. We expect recoveries net of assessments to be \$28.44 PMPM which results in a -7.9% adjustment to premium. In compliance with rating rules, all plan premiums are adjusted uniformly by -7.9% as demonstrated in column I of Exhibit 1.

Note that the Unified Rate Review template contains reinsurance recoveries net of assessments wherever reinsurance estimates are requested. This approach was selected because it allows the values in Worksheet 2a to tie back to values from Worksheet 1. The value of reinsurance recoveries can be obtained by adding \$5.25 PMPM to each estimate.

#### **Induced Utilization**

In this context, Induced Utilization refers to the utilization impact of member behavioral changes when on a plan with richer benefits. This metric does not include the impact of health status.

The induced utilization assumption of 0.1% was developed by applying adjustments to the plan specific factors provided by HHS in the Notice of Benefit and Payment Parameters.

We anticipate the effect of induced utilization to be somewhat less than the original factors suggest, so we have adjusted the factors lower. It is important to note that the assumed impact only accounts for the incremental induced utilization in excess of the induced utilization observed on an average pre-reform plan. This approach is used to avoid double-counting the impact of induced utilization.

# **Catastrophic versus Non-Catastrophic Allowed Claims**

Federal rating rules allow issuers to adjust the index rate for the level of gross claim costs anticipated for Catastrophic plan enrollees. Column B of Exhibit 2 shows allowed claims for the simulated members on Catastrophic and Metal plans. The simulation strictly adheres to the Catastrophic plan eligibility rules and uses member utility to determine plan selections. In the simulation, members eligible for subsidies tend to select Silver plans rather than Catastrophic plans. In addition, less healthy members tend to select plans with richer benefits than the Catastrophic plan. This results in a significantly lower allowed cost for members selecting the Catastrophic plan.

The ratio of Catastrophic allowed claims to total allowed claims across all plans (column C) is used to adjust the overall index rate for Catastrophic plans. This is a -25.4% adjustment to the index rate.

Similarly, the ratio of Metal Plan allowed claims to total allowed claims is applied to adjust index rate used for Metal Plans and results in a 0.6% adjustment. This small adjustment for Metal plans is necessary to ensure the overall index rate for the single risk pool remains unchanged.

#### Non-Benefit Expenses and Profit Risk

Expenses are based on our internal forecast for 2014. Expenses are estimated based off of current costs, projected volume changes and estimated changes in department workload. These expenses are simply loaded as a flat percentage of premium at this point in time and do not vary by product or plan.

# 16.8% Administrative Expense Load

- Broker & Sales Commissions: Compensation expenses associated with business issued through an agent or agency
- •Quality Expenses: Expenses associated with quality that are allowed adjustments under the Medical Loss Ratio standards
- •Clinical & Network Operations: non-quality clinical costs, provider contracting, and network maintenance & development
- •IT Expenses: costs associated with maintenance and development of systems
- Customer Service & Account Installation: call center, customer service, and account management
- Corporate Administration: shared functions that are not exclusive to individual major medical, including corporate finance, legal, human resources, etc.
- •Individual Administration: functional areas & personnel that solely work on individual major medical
- Direct Response, Marketing, & Agency Management: direct to consumer marketing expenses, other marketing expenses and agency management expenses

## 2.4% Profit (or Contribution to Surplus) & Risk Margin

• Profit margin is shown on a post-income tax basis and does not include investment income. The margin shown does not vary by product or plan.

#### 5.8% Taxes and Fees

- 2.3% •State Premium Tax: state premium tax; charged on a percentage of premium
- 1.4% •Health Insurer Annual Fee: assessment created in 2014 by PPACA. Estimated at 1.4% of premium. Not income tax deductible.
- 0.0% •Exchange Fee: charged on a percentage of premium basis to fund the exchange
- 0.1% •Other Misc Taxes: includes state licensing fees & the Federal Comparative Effectiveness Tax
- 2.1% •Income Tax: Federal income tax. Estimated as 36% times the sum of pretax profit margin and the non-deductible Health Insurer Annual Fee

# **Projected Loss Ratio**

The projected loss ratio using the Federally prescribed MLR methodology is at least 80%.

# Demonstration:

(2014 Claims/2014 Premium) + (Quality Expenses as a % of Premium))/(1 - Taxes and Fees as a % of Premium)((8,151,709 / 10,870,395) + 1.2%)/(1 - 5.8%) = 80.9%

#### **Index Rate**

The index rate for the experience period is simply the allowed claims per member per month in 2012 for all non-grandfathered plans. An adjustment is made to remove the impact of non-EHB state mandated benefits from the experience period allowed claims (see below for details); it is implicitly assumed that all other allowed claims for 2012 were for essential health benefits.

The index rate for the projection period is the credibility manual weighted allowed claims per member month multiplied by the proportion of allowed claims associated with essential health benefits, thereby excluding state mandated covered benefits and other covered benefits in excess of essential health benefits.

State mandated covered benefits that are included in allowed claims but excluded from the index rate include home health care services and physical, occupational, and speech therapy for congenital defects.

Covered benefits in excess of essential health benefits and state mandates that are included in allowed claims but excluded from the index rate include chiropractic care, organ transplants, and routine footcare.

The following market-wide adjustments are applied to the projected index rate as the first step in determining plan level "index" rates:

- 1) Adjustments for the net impacts of both risk adjustment and reinsurance. See "Risk Adjustment and Reinsurance" earlier section for more details of this market-wide adjustment.
- 2) An adjustment for the anticipated cost of exchange user fees.

The user fee cost of 1.4% of premiums has been applied to the estimated percentage of 2014 premiums from membership enrolled on the exchange.

It is included in the development of the overall index rate adjustment for this legal entity in this state.

- 3) Expense estimates (excluding exchange user fees) were based on our internal forecast for 2014. They were estimated based on current costs, modified to accommodate projected volume changes and changes in department workload. These are presented as a flat percentage of premium at this point in time and do not vary by product or plan, and thus are essentially another market-wide adjustment applied to the projected index rate.
- 4) An adjustment for the addition of non-EHB benefits (additional benefits we provide at our own discretion, as well as any state mandated benefits not reflected in the benchmark plan typically individual market only mandates). It is assumed that the addition of such benefits increases costs to all plans uniformly, hence it is essentially handled as a market-wide adjustment.

Then the following plan-specific adjustments are applied to determine plan level "index" rates:

5) The individual plan tier pricing actuarial values (AVs) were developed based on an internal pricing model with underlying utilization and costs reflective of a standard population equal to that of the anticipated membership in the overall 2014 risk pool. The data used to produce the HumanaOne pricing AVs was based on a standard population of commercially insured membership purchased from a third party vendor. In order to provide the level of detail necessary for the analysis, internal data was used to subdivide the claims experience but the overall utilization level was calibrated to a standard population derived from a multitude of commercial insurers across a broad geographic area. Using this data, a seriatim (member-by-member) model was developed with the standard population data and projected 2014 annual claims by benefit category. Then, the 2014 plan design parameters were applied to those allowed claims to produce paid claims and pricing AV's. These values were developed in accordance with generally accepted actuarial principles and methodologies.

The resulting plan-specific AV relativity to the overall AV across all plans is applied to the index rate to account for the plan-specific differences in AV and cost sharing.

6) The development of the index rate includes the anticipated average unit costs derived from the provider networks that will be available on this legal entity in this state. These average unit costs are the result of charge levels, network discounts, delivery system characteristics and utilization management practices across the entire state, for this legal entity.

As permitted, an adjustment is made to each plan rate to account for the specific cost differences from each provider network, in each allowed rating area, compared to the overall average across all plans.

Finally, with respect to Catastrophic plans, the following adjustments are made:

- 7) The ratio of Catastrophic allowed claims to total allowed claims across all plans is used to adjust the overall index rate for Catastrophic plans (reference the previous section on Catastrophic plans for more detail).
- 8) Similarly, the ratio of Metal Plan allowed claims to total allowed claims is applied to adjust the index rate used for Metal Plans to ensure the overall index rate for the single risk pool remains unchanged (again, please reference the previous section on Catastrophic plans for more detail).

#### **AV Metal Values**

The AV Metal Values indicated in Worksheet 2 of the Part 1 Unified Rate Review Template were determined using the AV Calculator for all new plans.

For existing, non-grandfatherd plans an acceptable alternative methodology was used to generate the AV Metal value.

An actuarial certification has been provided and indicates that values were developed in accordance with generally accepted actuarial principles and methodologies.

There are two benefit attributes for existing, non-grandfathered (non-GF) plans that the AV calculator does not accommodate: the presence of an emergency room access fee and the inside member maximum out-of-pocket on medical coinsurance and medical copays.

Further explanation for the alternative methodology can be found in the attached actuarial certification.

## **AV Pricing Values**

The fixed reference plan used as the basis for the AV Pricing Values in Worksheet 2 is: Humana Preferred Silver 4250/6250 Plan wih Dental for Kids .

#### **Membership Projections**

In determining anticipated membership, two internally developed models are used. The first projects overall membership volume based on anticipated market growth, in-force persistency, and relative competitiveness. The second functions independently and produces specific plan tier mixes based on consumer selection behaviors. These two elements are combined to produce the projected membership volumes by plan tier found in Worksheet 2 of the Unified Rate Review Template. Each is described in further detail in Parts I & II, below.

#### Part I

In projecting overall membership volume across the state, we start with today's estimated total statewide market size and market shares by carrier (based on 2011 SHCE). Along with Humana, the model considers three other "carriers" in the state, two of which are based on the major carriers in the market today and a third which represents the balance of the market. Assumed competitive price relativities are then used to derive a percentage share of 2014 sales by carrier. We believe using these price relativities as the primary determinant of sales share in our modeling to be appropriate, due to increased sensitivity to price in the 2014 marketplace.

Due to the changes occurring in 2014 (guaranteed issue requirements, individual mandate, etc.), the model also makes assumptions for the growth and disruption that will transpire.

We assume the individual market in this state will grow by a factor of 1.70 relative to current market size and that 15.0% of in-force membership will lapse to seek coverage under the new market rules.

These assumptions were set globally across all modeled carriers in the state, given the limited carrier-specific information available at this time.

Together, these market size growth and lapse assumptions create an initial 2014 membership base on which the previously developed sales shares by carrier are applied to create membership sales volume estimates. All sales are assumed to occur on January 1, 2014, thus creating 12 months of exposure for each sold member.

The resulting total exposure created by these sales for Humana is projected to be 30,218 member months (a) on the Humana Insurance Company legal entity.

#### Part II

For the purposes of further projecting this membership by individual plan tier, a simulation was developed to model consumer behavior with regard to risk aversion, utility, and affordability. In particular, it considers eligibility for the various premium and cost sharing reduction subsidies by applying a single assumed nationwide income distribution (as a percent of FPL). Internal nationwide small business claims and membership data was used in developing the simulated population, since we believe this experience base provides the best available approximation of the anticipated 2014 risk pool. In general, the simulation assumes that members eligible for cost sharing reductions, based on their income relative to the federal poverty level, are expected to significantly tend toward choosing the applicable silver variant plan, due to its relative value proposition. This tendency becomes less pronounced as the percent of FPL increases.

Member month projections by plan tier (including the CSR silver plan variants) are produced by combining the results of Parts I & II with the developed information detailed above. The results are summarized below:

	Projected Member	
Plan Tier	Months	Percent of Total
Catastrophic	1097	4%
Bronze	16524	55%
Silver	12598	42%
Gold	0	0%
Platinum	0	0%
Total	30218	100%

CSR Variant	Projected Member Months	Percent of Total
70%	12598	42%
73%	0	0%
87%	0	0%
94%	0	0%
Silver Total	12598	42%

We expect the distribution of our business to shift within the state in direct response to the changes in provider and network deals, and therefore anticipated competitive position, by market. Sales in 2014 will concentrate in areas where there have been the most pronounced improvements; in the absence of such improvements, the geographic distribution across the state is expected to remain relatively constant from the current to the projection period. This is accounted for in the modeling methodology described above.

#### **Effective Rate Review Information**

#### **URR Approach**

This section describes how the URR template values were populated in instances where the instructions were unclear or the template's functionality was unable to accommodate the appropriate values.

- Rate change % over prior filing (row 25) was populated with the change between rates effective 1/1/2014 and rates effective 12/31/2013. The previous rate filing contained rates that were effective through the end of 2013. Therefore, the 2014 rate is compared to the last rate in effect on 12/31/2013.
- Cumulative Rate Change % over 12 months prior (row 26) was populated with the change between rates effective 1/1/2014 and rates effective 1/2/2013. This captures the change in the rates over precisely one year.
- Projection Period Rate Change % over Experience Period (row 27) is a calculated formulaically by the template. However, it is important to note that this measure can be subject to significant variability. In our 2014 projection we assume a constant distribution of membership by age and geography. The rates for each plan were developed using the same distribution and is reflected in the average premiums (row 80). However, in row 27 this is compared to earned premiums from the experience period. The experience period will have a significantly different distribution of membership by age and geography than in the projection. As a result, row 27 will reflect changes in mix as well as changes in rates. This results in significant volatility for plans with limited membership during the experience period.
- Section IV of Worksheet 2 contains several inconsistencies between the calculated rows and the warning checks. These inconsistencies are primarily due to the definition of Total Allowed Claims (row 86). The warning check and the template instructions both indicate that the impact of reinsurance and risk adjustment should be included in Total Allowed Claims. However, formulas that refer to row 86 use it as if the impact of reinsurance and risk adjustment were not included. This results in double counting and inappropriate application of these items in rows 93, 98 and 99. Our approach was to follow the template instructions when populating row 86 and then explain the warnings that get generated in the subsequent rows. Explanations for the warnings can be found later in the memorandum.
- The net impact of risk adjustment (row 96) does not accept negative values if entered manually. However, we have found that populating this row via copy/paste will validate successfully. Therefore we have populated the template using this technique when necessary.

#### Terminated Plans

Included in the terminated products column on Worksheet 2 are: HumanaOne PHP Evolutionary and HumanaOne PHP Refresh plans.

#### Plan Type

There are no perceived differences between the issuer's plan and the plan type selected.

#### **Warning Alerts**

#### Worksheet 2, Row 82:

A warning has been generated in row 82. The values in this row are based on the sum each plan's projected premium based on the plan's projected membership and average rate pmpm. The warning in row 80 allows for a 2% tolerance level when comparing to the value depicted on Worksheet 1, but the Worksheet 2 tolerance level requires equivalence. This slight variation makes a perfectly equivalent premium match highly unlikely. The worksheet 2 results are within a tolerable range of the worksheet 1 value.

#### Worksheet 2, Rows 83-85:

A false error is populating for rows 83-85 in all columns suggesting the three values do not add to 100%. This is incorrect; based on the formula in row 85, it is impossible for this to be true. Values have been appropriately populated.

#### Worksheet 2, Rows 93, 98, 99:

Warnings have been generated in rows 93, 98, and 99 for the same reason. The values in these rows are all based on the values in Total Allowed Claims (row 86) and per the template instructions this includes the impact of reinsurance and risk adjustment. This is inconsistent with how this value is used by template formulas and comparisons to values on Worksheet 1. Rows 93 and 98 are calculated based on row 90 which includes the impact of reinsurance and risk adjustment. Row 90 is subtracted from row 86 causing the impact of reinsurance and risk adjustment to be double counted. Warnings are generated when these numbers are compared to values from Worksheet 1 that include these impacts properly. In addition, Row 99 is calculated based on row 86 (which includes reinsurance and risk adjustment), but validated using a value from Worksheet 1 that does not include reinsurance and risk adjustment.

#### Reliance

I, Stephen Arnhold, relied on information and underlying assumptions provided by internally developed pricing and modeling as well as third party consultant data in the establishment of these rates.

#### **Actuarial Certification**

I, Stephen Arnhold, am an Actuarial Director for Humana. I am a member of the American Academy of Actuaries and I meet the Qualification Standards of the American Academy of Actuaries to render the actuarial opinion contained herein.

I certify, to the best of my knowledge, that the projected index rate is in compliance with all applicable State and Federal Statutes and Regulations (45 CFR 156.80(d)(1)), developed in compliance with the applicable Actuarial Standards of Practice, reasonable in relation to the benefits provided and the population anticipated to be covered, and neither excessive nor deficient.

I certify, to the best of my knowledge, that the index rate and only the allowable modifiers as described in 45 CFR 156.80(d)(1) and 45 CFR 156.80(d)(2) were used to generate plan level rates.

I certify, to the best of my knowledge, that that the percent of total premium that represents essential health benefits included in Worksheet 2, Sections III and IV were calculated in accordance with Actuarial Standards of Practice.

I certify, to the best of my knowledge, that that the AV Calculator was used to determine the AV Metal Values shown in Worksheet 2 of the Part I Unified Rate Review Template for all plans.

This opinion is qualified, in that the Part I Unified Rate Review Template does not demonstrate the process used by the issuer to develop the rates. Rather, it represents information required by Federal regulation to be provided in support of the review of rate increases, for certification of qualified health plans for Federally facilitated exchanges and for certification that the index rate is developed in accordance with Federal regulation and used consistently and only adjusted by the allowable modifiers.

Actuary signature:

Actuary Printed Name: Stephen Arnhold, FSA, MAAA

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**Date:** July 15, 2013

# Colorado Humana Insurance Company Exhibit 2

#### **Catastrophic/Non-Catastrophic Index Rate Adjustment**

	Α	В	С	
	% of Members	Allowed Claims	Index Rate	
		PMPM	Adjustment	
Humana - HIC	1%	509.69	1.000	
Catastrophic	2%	380.39	0.746	= 380.39 / 509.69
<b>Metal Plans</b>	98%	512.97	1.006	= 512.97 / 509.69
Bronze	57%	512.97	1.006	= 512.97 / 509.69
Silver	38%	512.97	1.006	= 512.97 / 509.69
Gold	2%	512.97	1.006	= 512.97 / 509.69
Platinum	0%	512.97	1.006	= 512.97 / 509.69

<sup>\*</sup>Special Note: The above exhibit reflects the final pricing used in developing the rates proposed in this submission. Late-breaking guidance was given to discontinue existing products in this legal entity, and due to time constraints we were not able to incorporate said guidance into the final pricing; however, we do not believe this to result in a material change to the final rates as submitted.

We were able to revise our projected sales and membership to reflect this guidance, which is why there is a slight inconsistency in the membership weights shown above and in the "Membership Projection" section of the accompanying memorandum.



#### **State of Colorado**

# Cover Letter HUMANA INSURANCE COMPANY #119-73288 Policy Form Series CO-71130 & CO-71130-POS May 14, 2013

Dear Sir or Madam,

We respectfully submit for your review the enclosed premium rates for use with the above captioned policy series. See the actuarial memorandum for more information about this filing.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me by phone at 920.337.8573 or by email at eerickson@humana.com.

Sincerely,

Emma Erickson Actuarial Analyst Individual Product Segment

# STATE OF COLORADO HUMANA INSURANCE COMPANY ACTUARIAL MEMORANDUM POLICY FORM SERIES CO-71130 & CO-71130-POS

#### A. Summary

#### 1. Purpose

We respectfully submit for your consideration the enclosed premium rates for use with the above captioned policy series. This actuarial memorandum was created and formatted pursuant to Colorado Regulation 4-2-11, Section 6.

This filing has been prepared for the purpose of certifying that the anticipated loss ratio of this product meets the minimum requirement of this state, assuring that rates are reasonable in relation to the benefits provided, as well as demonstrating rates are not excessive, inadequate, or unfairly discriminatory. It is not intended to be used for any other purpose.

#### 2. Requested Rate Action

This is a new product; therefore there is no requested rate action.

#### 3. Marketing Methods

The policies will be marketed by general agents, brokers, wholesale arrangements, and by Humana employees through various campaigns geared directly to consumers. All plans contained in this filing will be offered exclusively off exchange.

Previously approved form series on the Humana Insurance Company entity, CO-71037-POS, GN-71037-01, & GN-70129, will be discontinued beginning 1/1/2014. Members will receive necessary notification and the opportunity to purchase any of the plans included in this filing.

#### 4. Premium Classifications

Premium rates vary by combination of age (as of issue for new business and attained age for renewals), tobacco usage, geographic area, and family composition. These associated factors can be found in the attached rate manual.

#### 5. Product Description

This is an Individual Major Medical plan sold to individuals and families. The rates under the policy form series, CO-71130, support a Preferred Provider Organization plan provided through a PPO contract with Humana Insurance Company.

The rates under the policy form series, CO-71130-POS, support a Point-of-Service plan provided through a dual entity POS contract with Humana Health Plan, Inc. and Humana Insurance Company. The dual entity POS contract communicates both network and non-network benefits to a member in a single policy. The member has open access to network HMO providers as referrals are not required. The network supporting this product is a combination of both HMO and PPO network providers, affording members with access to a larger provider network.

The plans under policy series CO-71120-POS include our embedded Wellness & Rewards Program, HumanaVitality. The premium impact of this embedded benefit is 1%, approximately \$2.40 PMPM. Pursuant to § 10-16-136(3.7), C.R.S., Humana received national accreditation from the National Committee of Quality Assurance on September 11, 2012 (attached certification and letter under Supporting Documents Tab).

Furthermore, please see the Supporting Documents Tab for documentation demonstrating that the wellness program is scientifically proven to improve health (Regulation 4-2-11 7.B).

All non-grandfathered plans must cover the essential health benefits package in 2014. The specifics of the essential health benefits are contained within the benchmark plan selected in each state. There are 3 high level categories of benefits that are considered from a pricing perspective for the individual market: (1) maternity, (2) behavioral services and (3) other state-specific services. For the pricing impact of these 3 benefits, please see section J below.

The following PPACA benefits have been implemented in all of our non-grandfathered business,

- Eliminate Annual Dollar Limits on Essential Benefits, Section 2711 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of the PPACA
- Eliminate Lifetime Dollar Limits on Essential Benefits, Section 2711 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of the PPACA
- Eliminate Pre-existing Condition Exclusions for Enrollees Under Age 19, Section 2711 of the PHSA/Section 1201 of the PPACA
- Prohibit Rescissions, Section 2712 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of PPACA
- Preventive Services, Section 2713 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of the PPACA
- Extends Dependent Coverage for Children Until age 26, Section 2714 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of the PPACA
- Appeals Process, Section 2719 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of the PPACA
- Emergency Services, Section 2719A of the PHSA/Section 10101 of the PPACA
- Access to Pediatricians, Section 2719A of the PHSA/Section 10101 of the PPACA
- Access to OB/GYNs, Section 2719A of the PHSA/Section 10101 of the PPACA

A summary of key benefits can be found in the rate manual, along with the rating factors associated with the plans; the policy form should be consulted for specific benefit provisions.

#### 6. Age Basis

Premiums will be calculated using age at issue for new business and attained age for renewing business.

#### **B.** Assumption or Acquisition

All plan designs have been developed internally and are not part of an assumption or acquisition.

#### C. Rating Period

The effective date of the rating period is January 1, 2014 for all plan designs. Rates are effective until 1/1/2015, at which point members issued during 2014 will have their rate potentially modified.

#### D. Underwriting

All membership is intended to be issued without underwriting.

#### E. Effect of Law Changes

This rate filing was prepared to support the law changes mandated as a result of the Affordable Care Act. A detailed description of the impacts can be found in section J.

#### F. Rate History

CO-71130 and CO-71130-POS are new policy form series, therefore no rate history can be provided.

#### G. Coordination of Benefits

Coordination of benefits data is included in the loss ratio calculation.

#### H. Relation of Benefits to Premium

Below is a summary of the retention estimate used for pricing this product. Note that investment income is not included, as it is not expected to be a material contribution to the profitability of this product.

Expense Category	% of Premium
Broker & Sales Commissions	4.4%
Quality Expenses	1.2%
Clinical & Network Operations	1.9%
IT Expenses	1.0%
Customer Service & Account Installation	1.6%
Corporate Administration	2.4%
Individual Products Administration	2.7%
Direct Response, Marketing, & Agency Management	1.6%
State Premium Tax	2.3%
Health Insurer Annual Fee	1.4%
Exchange Fee	0.0%
Other Misc Taxes & Assessments	0.1%
Income Tax	2.1%
Total Administrative Expense	22.6%
Loss Ratio	75.00%
Post-Tax Risk Margin/Profit	2.40%

#### I. Provision for Profit and Contingencies

The provision for profit and contingencies is 2.4% post-FIT. Because we do not anticipate holding policy reserves on this business, investment income only is obtained by returns on unearned premium reserves and reserves for incurred but not reported claims. We do not know the timing of when we will receive the advanced premium tax credits from the federal government. We anticipate that the unearned premium reserve may be offset by payment delays from the federal government. Therefore, we expect investment income to be a negligible source of revenue for this product line.

#### J. Complete Explanation as to How the Proposed Rates were Determined

The original premiums for this policy form series were developed using experience from existing policy forms by adjusting for benefit differences, expense differences and any other rating differences. Premium rates were developed so that the ratio of claims to premium would produce a reasonable lifetime loss ratio, not less than any minimum required in this state.

The form series, CO-71037 was used as the basis for the pricing for 2014. This represents the current new business product available for purchase throughout the state. The overall rates were adjusted for additional essential health benefits, trend between the 10/1/2013 premium basis and 1/1/2014, guaranteed issue, expected network improvements, differences in allowed rating factors, 10/1/2013 pricing adequacy, marginal taxes & fees, and the expected net impact of reinsurance and risk adjustment.

Details are as follows:

- Essential Health Benefits
  - Maternity

- Estimated at 0.0% impact. This benefit is already covered in our individual plans today.
- Behavioral Services
  - Estimated at 0.6% impact. This estimate was produced using small group allowed claims as a percentage of overall claims and adjusting the incidence rate for the expected FPL mix.
- Other Misc
  - Other essential health benefit impacts estimated at 0.6%.
- Trend
  - o 2.5% impact to go from the midpoint of the 10/1/2013 rating period to 1/1/2014. Please see the attached exhibit.
- Guaranteed Issue
  - Estimated 18.0% impact. Based on comparison of our own small group claims from the 2-50 market, consultant estimates, and an estimate of the total market mix between previously underwritten individuals and newly issued.
- Allowed Rating Factor Differences
  - o Estimated 4.0% impact for the removal of durational rating.
  - o Estimated 8.3% impact for the removal of underwriting rate ups.
  - o Estimated 0.7% impact for capping the number of dependents at 3
- Current Pricing Adequacy Adjustment
  - Estimated -4.7% impact for adequacy of current rates. Developed using projected 2013 loss ratio compared to target loss ratio, adjusted for rate actions through the year to determine 10/1/2013 adequacy.
- Marginal Taxes & Fees
  - o New federal health insurer annual fee is estimated at 2.1% of premium (this includes the gross up for this fee not being tax deductible).
- Net Impact of Reinsurance and Risk Adjustment
  - o Total adjustment for reinsurance payment & risk adjustment payment is estimated at 11.9%

#### K. Index Rate

Please see the attached exhibit, Exhibit C – CO HIC Base Rate Development.

#### L. Trend

Annual Cost Trend: 3.5% Annual Utilization Trend: 5.4%

The cost trend captures pure unit cost changes from midpoint 2012 to midpoint 2014, calculated using the same basket of services each period, due to price/contract negotiations and provider distribution changes.

Inpatient Hospital, Outpatient Hospital, Professional, Capitation and Other Medical cost trends are developed based on historical area specific cost trends from Humana's Individual Commercial block of business data. Future cost trends are developed based on expected changes in Humana's Commercial contracts.

Pharmacy cost trends are developed based on historical brand, generic, and specialty drug trends from Humana's Commercial data. Future cost trends are developed based on expected changes in these pharmacy contracts. These contractual impacts will be applicable to all members regardless of risk class.

#### Utilization trend:

Using Humana's Trend Quantification and Projection model, a baseline utilization trend is developed using Humana's Individual Commercial block of business historical medical claims data from 2008 - 2012. The historical baseline utilization trend is developed by removing all known impacts to utilization net trend such as demographics, geography, duration, customer changes, benefit changes, new health technologies, utilization management initiatives, and changes in pertinent days. An economic regression model, based on consumer sentiment, personal disposable income, hospital construction, and high-tech medical equipment spend, is then fit to this historical baseline utilization data to project the future block of business baseline utilization trend for 2013 and 2014.

A midpoint to midpoint methodology is applied to determine the applicable baseline utilization trend, which incorporates 2012q3 and 2012q4 actual results at the state and legal entity level with the block of business

baseline utilization trend for 2013 and 2014. This results in baseline utilization trends that vary at the state and legal entity level.

Other components are added to the baseline utilization trend to develop the total utilization trend provided. These include the following:

- Pertinent days Captures changes in the calendar, recognizing that health care utilization varies by day of the week and reporting periods contain varying weekday mix and count. This impact is developed through the use of an external consultant's model which is uploaded with Humana's Commercial claims data.
- New Health Technologies Captures the impact of new health technologies and procedures. An external consulting firm researches new technologies and develops per member per month impacts. These impacts are customized to Humana's Commercial business based on membership and coverage policy.
- Management Initiatives Captures savings for Humana initiatives designed to bend trend by managing utilization, such as case management, disease management, and nurse programs. These initiatives are evaluated by an internal actuarial organization tasked with evaluating the effectiveness of the initiatives. Evaluations are done through a collaborative effort involving clinical and other operational areas. Projected savings are calculated by determining prospective changes to impacted metric values, which are determined by analyzing historical metric values as well as through discussions with clinical and operational areas. Savings are reviewed with leadership to ensure appropriateness of assumptions."

This describes the development of the core utilization trend. All impacts from healthcare reform have been removed and are included in the "Population Risk/Morbidity" and "Other" adjustments from Worksheet 1 to prevent double counting of any impacts.

For additional trend detail, please see the attached trend exhibits.

#### M. Credibility

To credibility adjust this block of business, a credibility manual consisting of slight modifications to 2014 market projections was utilized. Source data utilized for the credibility manual calculation includes Colorado Humana Insurance Company utilization per 1000 that mirrors the 2014 projected experience, adjusting to reflect the overall credibility of the block of business that we apply in pricing to ensure adequacy of rates.

The average cost per service is driven by the Colorado Humana Insurance Company 2014 projected experience in order to maintain representation of the provider contracts and distribution mix represented in the allowed claim derivation, also adjusted to reflect the credibility of the block of business to ensure pricing adequacy.

The state of Colorado has mandated a level of 24,000 member months for full credibility. Per that mandate, our credibility weight methodology has been adjusted to reflect utilizing the following equation: square root(member months in experience period/24000). To account for the presence of Colorado Humana Insurance Company experience in the credibility manual, the credibility level afore mentioned has been reduced by a factor of the expected 2014 membership relative to nationwide.

We do not expect to have services in the projection period provided under a capitation arrangement.

#### N. Data Requirements

Please see the attached past and future projection exhibits, Exhibit A.

#### O. Side-by-Side Comparison

The proposed rates on policy form series CO-71130 & CO-71130-POS are new. Therefore, there are no comparisons between current rates and proposed rates.

#### P. Benefits Ratio Projections

Benefit projection ratio is projected to be 75%. This includes the effects of reinsurance and risk adjustment. Please see projection exhibit for details. For your reference, Actuarial Justification has been provided via attachment, 2014 CO HIC Justification of Benefit Ratio.

#### Q. Other Factors

See attached rate manual.

#### R. Actuarial Certification

I, Stephen Arnhold, am an Actuarial Director for Humana. I am a member of the American Academy of Actuaries and I meet the Qualification Standards of the American Academy of Actuaries to render the actuarial opinion contained herein.

I certify that this rate filing adheres to the laws of this state, to the best of my knowledge. I further certify that the assumptions used to develop rates are reasonable, that they have been set with an understanding of the business plan for this form series, and that they produce rates that are not excessive, inadequate or unfairly discriminatory.

Stephen Arnhold, FSA, MAAA

Actuarial Director, Individual Product Segment

June 19, 2013

#### Exhibit A-1

#### Colorado - Humana Insurance Company

#### Past & Projected Future Experience for all Non-Grandfathered Business

Includes Requested Rate Change

		Avg Co	vered			Colorado On		Estimated	Expected	Number of				Average	
Year	Mbr Months	Lives	1	Policies	Premium	Rate Premium	Incurred Claims	IBNR Claims	Claims	Claims	LR	ELR	A/E	Duration	
2011	136,270		11,356	6,309	19,998,419	38,725,042	11,859,070	13,245	13,321,761	56,205	59.39	66.6%	0.890	16.3	
2012	167,614		13,968	7,760	27,402,449	49,278,961	19,937,112	649,118	20,624,534	76,157	72.89	6 75.3%	0.967	24.1	
2013	141,025		11,752	6,529	24,709,952	41,006,238	18,841,258	-	20,235,440	-	76.29	6 81.9%	0.931	34.0 <- Partial Year of Actua	ls
2014	24,153		2,013	1,118	8,687,169	8,687,169	6,515,377	-	6,515,377	-	75.09	6 75.0%	1.000	6.1	
2015	15,751		1,313	729	6,770,529	5,665,080	5,077,897	-	5,077,897	-	75.09	6 75.0%	1.000	18.1	
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2019	2,849		237	132	1,951,343	1,024,512	1,463,507	-	1,463,507	-	75.09	6 75.0%	1.000	66.1	
2020	1,858		155	86	1,409,585	668,105	1,057,189	-	1,057,189	-	75.09	6 75.0%	1.000	78.1	
2021	1,211		101	56	1,018,237	435,685	763,678	-	763,678	-	75.09	6 75.0%	1.000	90.1	
2022	790		66	37	735,541	284,119	551,656	-	551,656	-	75.09	6 75.0%	1.000	102.1	
2023	515		43	24	531,330	185,280	398,498	-	398,498	-	75.09	6 75.0%	1.000	114.1	
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Present Value as of 01/01/2014 at 4.0% interest.

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Loss ratio is expected to be 75.0%, with no durational variation

Initial PMPM Premium: \$360

#### Exhibit A-2

#### Colorado - Humana Insurance Company

#### Past & Projected Future Experience for all Non-Grandfathered Business Excludes Requested Rate Change

		Avg Cove	red			Colorado On		Estimated	Expected	Number of				Average	
Year	Mbr Months	Lives	Pol	icies	Premium	Rate Premium	Incurred Claims	IBNR Claims	Claims	Claims	LR	ELR	A/E	Duration	
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Exhibit B1: HumanaOne Trend Estimate

									Relative		Relative		1	
	End of Month	Paid Medical	IBNR Medical	Total Incurred		Total Incurred	Raw PMPM	Relative	Age Factor	Relative Area	Plan Factor	Adj PMPM Clms		
Service Month	Member Count	Claims	Reserves	Medical Claims	Paid Rx Claims	Claims	Claims (A)	Exp LR (B)	(C)	Factor (D)	(E)	(A)/(B*C*D*E)		
4/1/2010	9	0	C	0	0	0								
5/1/2010	169	1,629	C	1,630	1	1,631								
6/1/2010	872	12,034	. 1	12,035	20	12,055								
7/1/2010	1,381	31,415	3	31,417	88	31,505								
8/1/2010	1,859	65,103	6	65,109	1,367	66,476								
9/1/2010	2,685			92,036										
10/1/2010	3,883	,		225,086	6,574	231,659								
11/1/2010	4,683				,	,								
12/1/2010	6,480				8,108	293,681								
1/1/2011	6,722													
2/1/2011	7,373	,		,	,									
3/1/2011	8,632			,	,									
4/1/2011	9,547							1.013						
5/1/2011	10,795	,		,	,			1.026						
6/1/2011	11,687	•		,	,			1.040						
7/1/2011	12,300			,										
8/1/2011	13,179	•		,	,									
9/1/2011	13,937			, ,	,									
10/1/2011	14,600													
11/1/2011	15,340				,			1.090						
12/1/2011	16,623				,			1.096						
1/1/2012	17,472							1.10						
2/1/2012	18,482				,			1.106						Adju
3/1/2012	19,827													
4/1/2012	20,487													
5/1/2012	21,073		,		•									
6/1/2012	21,900													
7/1/2012	22,287													
8/1/2012	22,919							1.136						
9/1/2012	23,635				•			1.142						
10/1/2012	23,591		,	, ,				1.148						
11/1/2012	23,763		•		•			1.15						
12/1/2012	24,175		,	, ,										
1/1/2013	23,942													
2/1/2013	24,182	485,465	1,153,358	1,638,823	50,464	1,689,287	104.17	1.17	7 1.041	0.992	0.965	88.76	20.9%	

Yellow Cell Average

25.5%

34.2%

Notes:

<sup>(</sup>A) Data shown is paids through February

<sup>(</sup>B) Rx claims are assumed complete

<sup>(</sup>C) Only includes non-grandfathered business on both HIC & HHP

**Exhibit B2**Annual Trend Estimates by Service Category

				Cost					Utilization		
		Inpatient	Outpatient			Prescription	Inpatient	Outpatient			Prescription
Quarter	Weight	Hospital	Hospital	Professional	Other Medical	Drug	Hospital	Hospital	Professional	Other Medical	Drug
2012q3	9%	3.29	4.2%	6.5%	4.3%	10.2%	96.1%	6.1%	15.3%	25.2%	10.4%
2012q4	11%	3.3%	4.3%	2.1%	0.8%	9.9%	-20.8%	11.2%	20.9%	14.6%	6.5%
2013q1	10%	3.5%	4.5%	0.8%	0.8%	9.5%	-1.8%	6.2%	0.4%	16.5%	2.7%
2013q2	12%	3.5%	4.4%	0.8%	0.7%	9.5%	-1.8%	5.6%	2.2%	8.4%	2.7%
2013q3	12%	3.89	4.4%	0.8%	0.8%	9.5%	-1.0%	3.4%	2.2%	0.9%	2.9%
2013q4	12%	3.79	4.3%	0.9%	0.8%	9.4%	-0.9%	5.0%	0.7%	10.7%	1.6%
2014q1	14%	3.49	4.0%	1.0%	1.0%	9.1%	0.3%	1.6%	0.9%	2.3%	6.5%
2014q2	20%	3.6%	% 4.1%	1.0%	1.0%	9.1%	2.0%	3.1%	0.9%	8.5%	5.8%
	Average	3.5%	4.3%	1.5%	1.2%	9.5%	6.5%	4.9%	4.7%	10.0%	4.9%
	Weights	91.93	112.04	113.98	6.12	22.69	98.48	121.89	117.43	6.27	27.20
	Total			3.5%					5.4%		

#### Notes:

Includes non-grandfathered HIC membership only. Based on internal trend model

Matches what was used in the URR

#### Supporting Exhibit: Rate Review Detail (SERFF Requirement)

The purpose of this document is to explain the assumptions used when calculating fields for the rate review detail window in SERFF.

#### **Requested Rate Change Information**

Change Period: Annual Member Months<sup>(1)</sup>: 167,614 Benefit Change: Increase

> Min<sup>(2)</sup> Weighted Avg<sup>(2)</sup>

Percent Rate Change Requested: 0.0% 0.0% 0.0%

#### **Prior Rate**

Total Earned Premium(3): \$0 Total Incurred Claims<sup>(3)</sup>: \$0

<u>Min</u>(4) Weighted Avg<sup>(6)</sup>

Annual \$:

#### **Requested Rate**

Projected Earned Premium<sup>(7)</sup>: \$8,687,169 Projected Incurred Claims<sup>(7)</sup>: \$6,515,377

> <u>Mi</u>n<sup>(8)</sup> Weighted Ava<sup>(10)</sup>

Annual \$: 139 360

- (1) Based on data from January 2012 through December 2012.
- (2) Not applicable, this is the initial filing.
- (3) Not applicable, this is the initial filing.
- (4) Not applicable, this is the initial filing.
- (5) Not applicable, this is the initial filing.
- (6) Not applicable, this is the initial filing.
- (7) Projected over calendar year 2014, including policy reserves.
- (8) The Minimum Annual \$ is the lowest possible monthly rate per member for standard benefits effective January 1, 2014.
- (9) The Maximum Annual \$ is the highest possible monthly rate per member for standard benefits effective January 1, 2014.
- (10) The Weighted Average Annual \$ is the pmpm projected premium on a January 1, 2014 basis.

#### Humana Insurance Company Suite C PPO CO-71130<sup>1</sup>

#### - Rate Sample of 40 year old non-smoker

	Denver <sup>2</sup> (Rating Area 3)	Fort Collins- Loveland (Rating Area 4)	Grand Junction (Rating Area 5)	Greeley (Rating Area 6)	Pueblo (Rating Area 7)	Other CO-East South (Rating Area 8)	Other CO-East North (Rating Area 9)	Other CO-West (Rating Area 10)	Other CO-Resort (Rating Area 11)
Plan Name	PPO	PPO	PPO	PPO	PPO	PPO	PPO	PPO	PPO
Humana Preferred Basic 6350/6350 Plan	256.31	280.12	297.71	281.63	318.85	318.96	311.28	330.66	306.58
Humana Preferred Bronze 4850/6350 Plan	358.23	391.50	416.09	393.61	445.64	445.78	435.06	462.14	428.49
Humana Preferred Silver 4250/6250 Plan	374.64	409.43	435.15	411.64	466.05	466.20	454.99	483.31	448.12
Humana Preferred Bronze 6300/6300 Plan	318.43	348.00	369.85	349.88	396.12	396.25	386.72	410.79	380.88
Humana Preferred Silver 3650/3650 Plan	368.18	402.37	427.64	404.54	458.02	458.17	447.15	474.98	440.39

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>CO-71130-POS Sample Rates can be found in SERFF Filing HUMA-129026181.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>New Business Sales only available in Clear Creek, Gilpin, & Park County.

#### **State of Colorado**

### HUMANA INSURANCE COMPANY, INC. ACTUARIAL JUSTIFICATION OF BENEFIT RATIO

#### A. Scope and Purpose

The purpose of this document is to establish additional support that the rates proposed within this rate filing are reasonable in relation to the benefits provided; are not excessive, inadequate, or unfairly discriminatory; and comply with all applicable market rating rules set forth by the Federal government and the state of Colorado.

The State of Colorado in PPACA Rate Filing Procedures for Colorado, Actuarial Memorandum instructions Section G. Benefit Ratio Guidelines, specifies a recommended benefit ratio guideline of 80% for Comprehensive Major Medical (Individual). This document states that any benefit ratio below 80% must be actuarially justified. This document provides actuarial justification for the filed benefit ratio of 75%, calculated as 1- (sum of percentage administrative expense percentage, taxes & fees, and profit & risk margin).

The Actuarial Memorandum supports a loss ratio of 80% using the Federally prescribed methodology. Since compliance with the Federal methodology is already supported, this document does not additionally address the Federal MLR calculation.

#### B. Expense Development Methodology

Expenses levels are based on the January 31, 2013 Humana individual medical long term forecast of expenses. This forecast incorporates 2012 actuals as a baseline and 2013 budgeted expenses at a national level to project 2014 expenses. These expenses are shown as a percentage of premium in Attachment 1. The 2014 forecast assumes a significant increase in national membership as a result of participation in a number of state exchanges. We assume a 66% increase in our member months from 2013 to 2014. We also assume a 42% increase in premium per member per month (pmpm). Both the increase in membership and pmpm premium are used to leverage a decrease in fixed expenses as a percentage of premium. The forecast itself is prepared at a very detailed level with approximately 50 primary cost centers which each have numerous sub-categories. These have been summarized in the following categories which are outlined in the Actuarial Memorandum, shown in Attachment 1, and described below with anticipated changes from 2013 to 2014:

#### 1. Broker and Sales Commissions

Broker and Sales commissions are projected to decrease from 6.6% to 4.4%. This reduction is projected to occur as a result of placing some business directly on exchange. We expect to have some of our exchange business placed with broker assistance and Federal Regulations require that business to be compensated with the same commission rate as off exchange business. We also expect to reduce commission rates due to higher pmpm premium and improved placement rates without underwriting.

#### 2. Quality Expenses

We are forecasting a reduction from 2.2% of premium to 1.2% of premium based on fixed expense leveraging and improved scale in our well-being programs.

#### 3. Clinical and Networks Operations

We expect clinical expenses to increase from our historic levels to levels we experience in small business as the underwritten population is replaced by a higher morbidity population. This increase is more than offset by a decrease in network operations the efforts to contract networks for the exchanges wind down. Clinical is not subject to fixed expense leveraging, but the network operations are. The net impact is a decrease from 2.8% to 1.9% of premium.

#### 4. IT Expenses

Our IT expenses increased significantly in 2013 as a result of building PPACA compliant applications for both on and off exchange products. This rate of expenditure is expected to drop significantly in 2014 as this build work is completed and there is further fixed expense leveraging on some of the components. The net impact is expected to be a decrease from 2.7% to 1.0% of premium.

#### 5. Customer Service and Account Installation

This category includes claims administration. This category is experiencing a significant increase in 2013 as customer facing areas get prepared for exchange membership. We need to have several of these areas fully staffed in anticipation of the open enrollment period and there will be no revenue until 2014 to offset those costs. Since open enrollment and exchanges are new concepts to our customers and prospects, we expect unusually high call volume during the open enrollment period. Expenses are expected to decrease from 3.0% of premium in 2013 to 1.6% of premium in 2014 as the start-up effort winds down and from expense leveraging of the additional revenue. We are also eliminating some of the claims positions associated with investigation of underwritten policies in 2014.

#### 6. Corporate Administration

This category includes legal, finance, human resources, etc. These functions support our individual business and have been contributing to the interpretation and implementation of PPACA. The expenses for these functions will decrease from 4.2% of premium to 2.4% of premium mostly as a result of fixed expense leveraging.

#### 7. Individual Administration

This includes management of the line of business, actuarial, the project management office and underwriting. We have an increase in 2013 from the project management office staffing to an increased level for reform. In 2014, we expect a decrease form 6.3% to 2.7% of premium. The reduction is driven by the elimination of underwriting positions, the wind down of the PPACA build efforts and fixed expense leveraging.

#### 8. Direct Response, Marketing and Agency Management

We are experiencing an increase in 2013 expenses related to educational and marketing material development, including electronic media. We do not expect to significantly increase direct marketing in the open enrollment period as we expect our resources to be fully engaged. We do have an expansion of our call center staffing planned to handle increased call volume during the open enrollment period. We expect a decrease in expenses from 3.0% to 1.6% as the environment stabilizes in 2014 and we experience fixed expense leveraging.

#### 9. Total Administrative Costs

Total administrative costs were 27.6% in 2012 and 30.8% in 2013 before we expect a drop to 16.8% in 2014. Although our individual line of business is growing, it is still relatively small and we have not been able to manage our expenses to a level where we can operate profitably since PPACA established minimum MLR requirement. We did have significant reductions in many categories and in aggregate in 2011 in preparation for MLR rebates, but those gains were negated in 2012 and 2013 by the expenses of preparing for PPACA implementation.

#### 10. State Premium Tax

This category include assessments and fees and is held constant at our Colorado actual level of 2.3% of premium for this legal entity.

#### 11. Health Insurer Annual Fee

This is the non-deductible fee leveraged under PPACA on all health insurers. The percentage is projected based on Humana's share of the national health insurance market and allocated back to lines of business as 1.4% of premium.

#### 12. Exchange Fee

This is a Colorado specific calculation based on the percentage of business we expect on and off exchange in this legal entity.

#### 13. Misc Taxes

This is the per member per year fee to fund research levied by PPACA.

#### 14. Income Taxes

This category includes Federal income tax and the tax on the non-deductible health insurer annual fee. In 2012 and 2013 we expect a negative adjustment from Federal income taxes as the individual medical product line is unprofitable. This results in a reduction in expenses of 1.1% for 2012 and is expected to offset 2.5% of expenses in 2013. We expect a return to profitability with significant reductions in expenses in 2014. Combined with the addition of the tax on the health insurer annual fee, we expect our income taxes to increase to 2.1% in 2014.

#### 15. Post Tax Profit & Risk Margin

We are pricing this product for a 2.4% post tax profit and risk margin in 2014. We believe this is a reasonable level for a number of reasons. We have experienced a loss over the last several years and need to price for a sustainable business. This result is based on assumptions around business and revenue growth that may not be realized. This result is based on product pricing in a very uncertain environment relative to the morbidity and volume of new business due to PPACA implementation. There is further uncertainty around some of the complex aspects of PPACA implementation, such as risk adjustment.

#### C. Actuarial Certification

I certify that this rate filing adheres to the laws of this state. I further certify that the assumptions used to develop rates are reasonable, that they have been set with an understanding of the business plan for this form series, and that they produce rates that are reasonable in relation to the benefits provided.

Stephen Arnhold, FSA, MAAA Actuarial Director, Individual Medical Segment May 14, 2013

### Attachment 1

Administrative Expenses	2012%	2013%	2014%
Broker & Sales Commissions	6.8%	6.6%	4.4%
Quality Expenses	1.7%	2.2%	1.2%
Clinical & Network Operations	2.9%	2.8%	1.9%
IT Expenses	2.0%	2.7%	1.0%
Customer Service & Account Installation	2.1%	3.0%	1.6%
Corporate Administration	4.3%	4.2%	2.4%
Individual Administration	5.7%	6.3%	2.7%
Direct Response, Marketing, & Agency Management	2.2%	3.0%	1.6%
Total Admin	27.6%	30.8%	16.8%
Taxes			
State Premium Tax	2.3%	2.3%	2.3%
Health Insurer Annual Fee	0.0%	0.0%	1.4%
Exchange Fee	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Other Misc Taxes	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
Income Taxes	-1.1%	-2.5%	2.1%
Total Taxes	1.2%	-0.1%	5.8%
Post Tax Profit	-2.0%	-4.4%	2.4%



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September 11, 2012

September 11, 2015

DATE GRANTED

EXPIRATION DATE



September 12, 2012

Joe Woods MHA Chief Executive Officer HumanaVitality, LLC 550 West Adams St 5th Floor Chicago, IL 60661

Dear Mr. Woods:

We are pleased to inform you that based on the information gathered during your recent WHP survey, the National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA) Review Oversight Committee has awarded HumanaVitality, LLC the accreditation status(es) listed below. The final assessment report, which incorporates relevant changes made in response to your organization's earlier comments, is now ready for your review. You may now access the final report and results online by visiting https://iss.ncqa.org and looking under the section entitled Survey and Results.

#### **Accreditation Status Effective Date Expiration Date**

Accredited With Performance Reporting September 11, 2012

September 11, 2015

The NCQA Health Plan Report Card has been updated to reflect this. A certificate reflecting your accreditation status(es) is enclosed in recognition of your achievement. Also, for your convenience, you may download the NCQA accreditation seal by visiting our Web site at www.ncqa.org. Please refer to the 'Guidelines for Advertising NCQA WHP Survey Accreditation,' enclosed.

If you have reason to believe that the compliance scoring of any standard or standards does not accurately reflect your organization's compliance with the standards, you have the opportunity to request a reconsideration of compliance designations and/or accreditation outcome by the NCQA Reconsideration Committee. To proceed with reconsideration, NCQA must receive within the next 30 days a written request for reconsideration that addresses at least one of the grounds for appeal identified in the Reconsideration section of the "Administrative Policies and Procedures" of the 2009 Standards and Guidelines for the Accreditation in Wellness & Health Promotion. This request must not exceed five pages in length and must include a listing of the standards for which reconsideration is being requested. A fee, as specified in the Agreement for WHP Accreditation Survey, "Pricing Methodology and Cancellation Policy" (Exhibit A), is charged for reconsideration. The fee must be paid at the time reconsideration is requested.

In order to maintain your accreditation status(es), HumanaVitality, LLC will need to participate in a survey approximately three months prior to the expiration date. Your next survey will be conducted in two stages using NCQA's Interactive Survey System (ISS) and standards in effect at the time of the survey. The first, or offsite, stage will begin immediately upon submission of your organization's completed Survey Tool. During this stage, NCQA reviews the organization against most of the standards and elements, thus reducing the duration of the second, or onsite, stage which will be scheduled to begin eight weeks after your Survey Tool is submitted to NCQA.

We have tentatively reserved June 16, 2015, as the submission date of the completed Survey Tool to NCQA. NCQA has tentatively set August 3, 2015 for your onsite survey. If the proposed dates present a problem for you or if you have any questions regarding these dates, please contact Cindy Francis, Program Manager, Accreditation, at (202) 955-5147 or e-mail francis@ncqa.org.

If you have questions about the ISS, please contact NCQA Customer Support at (888) 275-7585 or e-mail <u>customersupport@ncqa.org</u>. You can also visit <u>www.ncqa.org</u> for additional information.

While it is our understanding that the results of this accreditation survey may satisfy a state regulatory requirement, NCQA assumes no responsibility for transmitting copies of this report to relevant state agencies.

We wish to acknowledge your quality improvement efforts, which were evident throughout the survey process. NCQA looks forward to working with you and your staff again in the future.

Sincerely,

Dayna McKnight, MBA, MS

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Assistant Vice President, Accreditation

**Enclosures** 

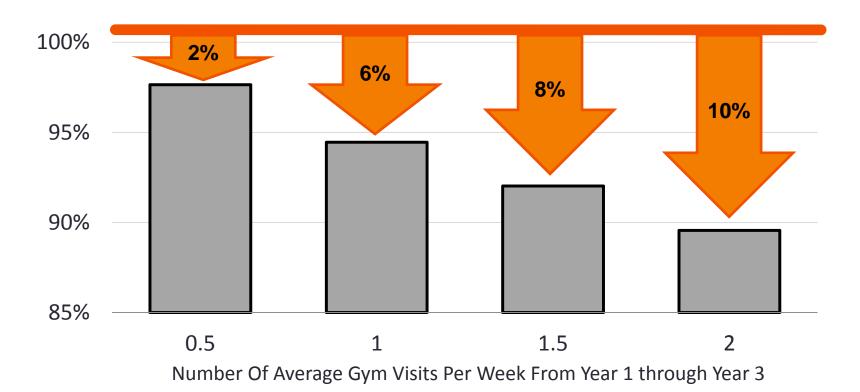




#### **Relative Percent Hospitalized**

From Year 4 to 5 Compared To Inactive Members

10% decrease in odds of hospitalization for top engagement tier



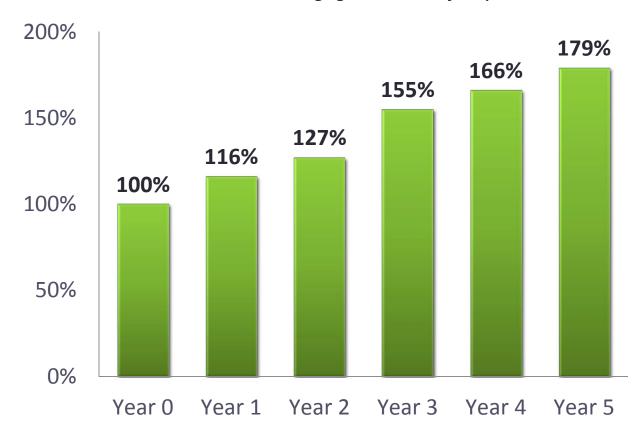
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## **Vitality Drives Fitness Engagement**



#### **Relative Percent Fitness Engagement**

79% increase in engagement over five years



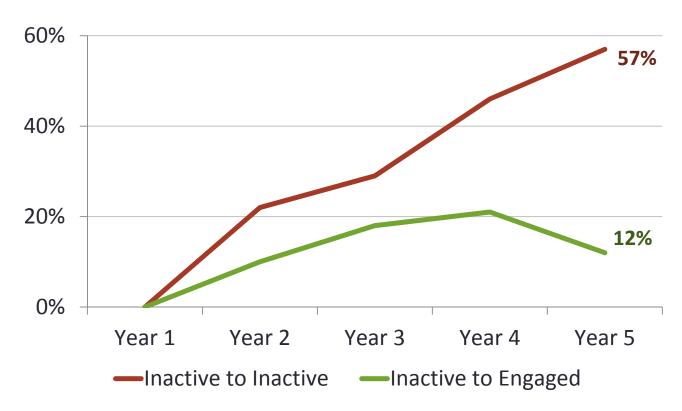
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## **Vitality Engagement Reduces Cost**



## Cumulative Trend for Initial Inactive Population That Became Engaged vs. Remained Inactive

45% cumulative trend reduction for members who became engaged



Source: Internal actuarial study.

### **Publication of Vitality longitudinal study**



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Financial Analysis

#### Participation in Fitness-Related Activities of an Incentive-Based Health Promotion Program and Hospital Costs: A Retrospective Longitudinal Study

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Abstract
Purpose. A retrospective, longitudinal study examined changes in participation in fitness-related activities and hospital daims over 5 years amongst members of an incentivized health promotion program offered by a

Daign. A 3-year retrospective observational analysis measuring gm visits and participation in documented fitness-related activities, probability of hospital admixion, and associated costs of admixion.

Sething, A South African private health plan, Discovery Itelath and the Visithy health promotion pragram.

Participants. 304,054 adult members of the Discovery nedical plan, 192,467 of whom registered for the health ometion program and 111,387 members who were not on the program. Intervention. Members were incontisted for finenser-related activities on the basis of the frequency of gym wists.

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Analysis. The probability of a daim modeled by using linear logistic regression and costs of claims examined by using general kinear models. Propensity scores were estimated and included age, gender, registration for chronic disease benefits, plan type, and the presence of a claim during the transition period, and these were used as covariates in the final model.

assumes in me print with a significant decrease in the prevalence of inactive members (76% to 68%) over 5 years. Members who remained highly active (years 1-3) had a lower probability (p. <.03) of hospital admission in years 4 to 5 (20.7%) compared with those who remained inactive (22.2%). The odds of admission were 13% lower for two additional gen wints per work (olds ratio, 367, 95% con fidence interval (CII), 301-349.

too additional gm visis per work (odds ratio, 37; 9% confidence interval [CI], 801—949.

Conclusion: We observed on increase in finence related activities over time amongst members of this incontinuous whath promotion program, which was associated with a town probability of hospital admixim and town hospital and in the subsquared 2 year. (Am J Hosbit Promat 2012; 25):341—348.

Key Worlds: Health Insurance, Wellness Program, Chronic Disease, Prevention Research.

Manuscript formatt research; Research purpose: modeling/relationship testing, descriptive; Study design: retrospective longitudinal, analytic, Outcome measure: financial/economic, hospital costs; Setting: private analoxal health insurer. Health focus tiliness flysicks alcrivity. Strategr, education, and beaking behavior-change; incredies, Target population age: adults; Target population circumstances: health-insured population.

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#### INTRODUCTION

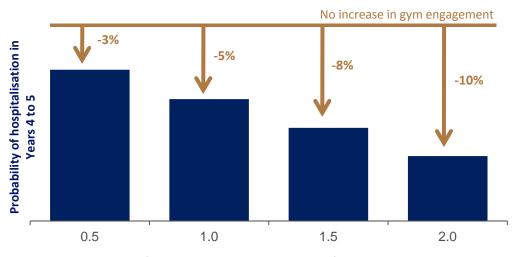
Physical inactivity and sedentary living are major lifestyle factors that contribute to the growing burden of disease globally.1 The effects of the increasing prevalence of inactivity are most evident in the increase in noncommunicable chronic diseases of lifestyle, such as hypertension, type 2 diabetes, cancer, and coronary heart disease.

There is compelling evidence for the beneficial effects of physical activity in the primary and secondary prevention of a large number of chronic diseases. Diseases such as type 2 diabetes.3 hypertension 45 cardiovascular disease, certain cancers,4 mental illnesses,7 and osteoporosis8 are directly impacted by increasing physical activity. All-cause mortality, as well as deaths as a result of cardiovascular diseases and cancers, are significantly decreased with increased levels of physical activity.9,10 Physical activity has also been shown to mitigate the effects of other risk factors. For example, overweight individuals who are fit have greater longevity than those normal-weight individuals who are unfit.11,12 Likewise, it has been shown that physically active smokers have a lower risk of dying than non-active smokers.13

The enormous burden of diseases related to physical inactivity or sedentary living have significant direct and indirect economic consequences for the individual and for society.14-16

**Increase in Fitness Engagement** 31.8 31.1 27.0 24.8 21.1 3 5 Year

#### Dose response of hospitalisation to gym visits



Number of additional gym visits per week from Year 1 to Year 3

#### Exhibit C - Base Rate Development Humana Insurance Company

1) Experience Period Allowed PMPM	\$ 184.03
<ul> <li>2) x Morbidity Change</li> <li>3) x Medical Inflation &amp; Trend<sup>1</sup></li> <li>4) x Increased Utilization<sup>1</sup></li> <li>5) x Change in Benefits</li> <li>6) x Change in Demographics</li> <li>7) x Network Impacts</li> <li>8) = Total Impact</li> </ul>	1.748 1.071 1.110 1.063 1.014 $\frac{1.000}{2.240}$ =(2)x(3)x(4)x(5)x(6)x(7)
9) Projected Allowed PMPM	\$ 412.28 =(1)x(8)
<ul> <li>10) x Paid to Allowed Ratio</li> <li>11) = Projected Incurred Claims, before ACA rein &amp; Risk Adj't, PMPM</li> <li>12) - Projected Risk Adjustment PMPM</li> <li>13) - Projected ACA Reinsurance Recoveries</li> <li>14) = Projected Incurred Claims PMPM</li> </ul>	\$ $ \frac{0.585}{241.18} = (9)x(10)  (57.02)   \frac{28.44}{269.76} = (11)-(12)-(13) $
<ul> <li>15) + Administrative Expense Load</li> <li>16) + Profit &amp; Risk Load</li> <li>17) + Taxes &amp; Fees</li> <li>18) = Single Risk Pool Gross Premium Avg. Rate, PMPM</li> </ul>	\$ 60.44 8.63 <u>20.90</u> 359.73 =(14)+(15)+(16)+(17)

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 1}$  Medical Infaltion & Trend and Increased Utilization are 2 year figures.



June 19, 2013

Division of Insurance 1560 Broadway, Suite 850 Denver, CO 80202

RE: EXPLANTION OF REVISED RATE TEMPLATE SUBMITTED 5/23/13.

**HUMANA INSURANCE COMPANY** 

POLICY SERIES: CO-71130 & CO-71130-POS

Dear Sir or Madam,

We understand the Division's concern with the revised rates template that was uploaded 5/23/2013 in the SERFF binder HUMA-CO14-125001016. We want to assure the Division that our intent was not to deceive them or our competitors in any way.

On May 15, 2013 Humana submitted two separate rate filings under two legal entities, Humana Insurance Company and Humana Health Plan, HIC and HHP respectively. The two legal entities represent the different networks we possess and offer Colorado consumers. Exhibit A illustrates which counties are currently covered by these networks. As it is shown in Exhibit A, our PPO network under the HIC legal entity covers the entire state of Colorado, whereas our NPOS and HMOx networks under the HHP legal entity are much narrower. Currently we sell our PPO products statewide, however with recent State guidance given to discontinue and reissue existing business beginning 1/1/2014; a business decision was made to only offer PPO new business in regions 4 through 11. This allowing our NPOS and HMOx networks to cover the remaining 1, 2, and 3 regions. Exhibit B clarifies our 2014 new business sales strategy by county and network.

On May 17, 2013, it was revealed there were 3 counties, Clear Creek, Gilpin and Lake, without rating factors. We request to amend our HIC rate filing to include the 3 counties that were inadvertently left out. The decision to amend the HIC filing to include the 3 counties was communicated internally and the necessary steps to do so were then carried out. We developed new business rating area factors for the 3 counties under our PPO network, these rates were then added to the rate template that was uploaded to the corresponding binder, HUMA-CO14-125001016, on 5/23/2013.

We apologize for the inconsistency between the binder submission and the rate filings. Furthermore, to align with this revised rate template, we have uploaded a revised rate manual and rate sample to reflect the addition of region 3 to our HIC rate filing, SERFF # HUMA-129031275.

Along with adding the geographic area factors for region 3 in our HIC rate filing, we realized we erroneously omitted PPO mover rates in areas 1-3. These factors are available in the revised Rate Manual that was uploaded to SERFF # HUMA-129031275. These mover rates are only applicable to members with a PPO product since our PPO network is statewide, whereas our NPOS and HMOx networks are not. Exhibit A demonstrates this county-specific coverage of our networks. These mover rates are only available for PPO members issued in non-NPOS counties but subsequently move into a NPOS county. The intent is that this causes minimal disruption in service for the member. They are not for new business in areas 1-3 (the three county issue notwithstanding).



**Example 1:** Family resides in region 7 and enrolls in a PPO plan with a 2/1/14 effective date. On 6/13/2014 the member moves from region 7 into region 2, where we do not sell PPO products. However, since our PPO network is statewide, having factors in areas we're not offering new business allows this family to keep their original PPO plan.

#### The rate breakdown at issue:

Effective Date: 2/1/14

Plan: Humana Preferred Silver 3650/3650 Plan

Rating Area: 7

Reference Market: Pueblo

Network: PPO

Original Premium: \$1564.7

		Mbr #1	Mbr #2	Mbr #3	Mbr #4	Mbr #5	Mbr #6	
	Age:	40	32	7	5	3	1	
	Average Premium	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	
Х	Plan Factor	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	
Х	Age Factor	1.0813	1.0009	0.5372	0.5372	0.5372	0.0000	
Х	Tobacco Use Factor	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	
Х	Geographic Network Factor	1.1235	1.1235	1.1235	1.1235	1.1235	1.1235	-
=	Subtotal (rounded to nearest penny)	\$458.04	\$423.98	\$227.56	\$227.56	\$227.56	\$0.00	
Х	Modal Factor	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	
=	Rate	\$458.04	\$423.98	\$227.56	\$227.56	\$227.56	\$0.00	\$1,564.70

#### The rate breakdown after the move:

Effective Date: 2/1/14

Plan: Humana Preferred Silver 3650/3650 Plan

Rating Area: 2

Reference Market: Colorado Springs

Network: PPO

Revised Premium: \$1123.34

		Mbr #1	Mbr #2	Mbr #3	Mbr #4	Mbr #5	Mbr #6	
	Age:	40	32	7	5	3	1	
	Average Premium	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	
Х	Plan Factor	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	
Х	Age Factor	1.0813	1.0009	0.5372	0.5372	0.5372	0.0000	
х	Tobacco Use Factor	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	
Х	Geographic Network Factor	0.8066	0.8066	0.8066	0.8066	0.8066	0.8066	
=	Subtotal (rounded to nearest penny)	\$328.84	\$304.39	\$163.37	\$163.37	\$163.37	\$0.00	
Х	Modal Factor	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	
=	Rate	\$328.84	\$304.39	\$163.37	\$163.37	\$163.37	\$0.00	\$1,123.34



We appreciate the Colorado Division of Insurance working with us on this and if you have any questions I can be reached at 920.337.8573 or at <a href="mailto:eerickson@humana.com">eerickson@humana.com</a>.

Sincerely,

Emma Erickson Actuarial Analyst Individual Product Segment

#### Exhibit A: Network Coverage

		Network	НМОх	NPOS	PPO
		Entity	HHP	ннр&ніс	HIC
Rating Area	Market Name	County			
1	Boulder	Boulder		Х	Х
2	Colorado Springs	El Paso	Х	х	х
	, ,	Teller	Х	Х	Х
		Adams	Х	X	X
		Arapahoe Broomfield	x x	x x	X X
		Clear Creek	^	^	x
_	_	Denver	х	x	x
3	Denver	Douglas	х	х	х
		Elbert		х	х
		Gilpin			х
		Jefferson	Х	х	х
		Park 			Х
5	Fort Collins-Loveland	Larimer Mesa			X
6	Grand Junction Greeley	Weld			X X
7	Pueblo	Pueblo			X
<u> </u>	. 222.0	Alamosa			Х
		Baca			х
		Bent			х
		Chaffee			х
		Cheyenne			х
		Conejos			Х
		Costilla Crowley			X X
		Custer			X
_		Fremont			x
8	Other CO-East South	Huefano			х
		Kiowa			х
		Kit Carson			х
		Las Animas			х
		Lincoln			Х
		Mineral Otero			X X
		Prowers			X
		Rio Grande			x
		Saguache			х
		Logan			х
		Morgan			х
9	Other CO-East North	Phillips			х
		Sedgqick			Х
		Washington			X
-		Yuma Archuleta			X
		Delta			x
		Dolores			х
		Grand			х
		Gunnison			х
		Hinsdale			Х
		Jackson La Plata			X
10	Other CO-West	La Plata Lake Moffat			X X
		Montezuma			X
		Montrose			x
		Ouray			х
		Rio Blanco			х
		Routt			х
		San Juan			х
<u> </u>		San Miguel			X
		Eagle Garfield			X X
11	Other CO-Resort	Pitkin			X
		Summit			x
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Exhibit B: New Business & Mover Rate Availability

			New Business Availability				Mover Rates <sup>1</sup>					
		Exchange	On Exchange Off Exchange			On Exchange		Off Exchange	2			
		Product Suite	Suite A	Suite A	Suit		Suite A			e C		
		Network	HMOx	HMOx	NPOS	PPO	HMOx	HMOx	NPOS	PPO		
1		Entity	HHP	HHP	HHP&HIC	HIC	HHP	HHP	HHP&HIC	HIC		
Rating Area	Market Name	County		1	1							
1	Boulder	Boulder			Х					Х		
2	Colorado Springs	El Paso	X	X	X					X		
		Teller Adams	X X	x x	X X		-			X X		
		Arapahoe	x	×	x					X		
		Broomfield	x	x	x					x		
		Clear Creek				х				x		
2		Denver	х	х	х					х		
3	Denver	Douglas	х	х	х					х		
		Elbert			х					х		
		Gilpin				х				х		
		Jefferson	х	х	х					X		
		Park				Х				Х		
4	Fort Collins-Loveland	Larimer				Х				Х		
5	Grand Junction	Mesa	1			X				X		
6 7	Greeley Pueblo	Weld Pueblo	+		<b>_</b>	X	<del>                                     </del>			X		
	Puebi0	Alamosa	<del> </del>		-	X X	<del>                                     </del>			X X		
		Baca				X				X		
		Bent				×				X		
		Chaffee				x				x		
		Cheyenne				х				х		
		Conejos				х				x		
		Costilla				х				x		
	Other CO-East South	Crowley				х				х		
		Custer				х				Х		
8		Fremont				х				Х		
		Huefano				х				Х		
		Kit Carson				X				X		
		Kit Carson Las Animas				X				X		
		Lincoln				x x				x x		
		Mineral				x				x		
		Otero				x				x		
		Prowers				x				x		
		Rio Grande				х				x		
		Saguache				х				х		
		Logan				х				Х		
	Other CO-East North	Morgan				х				Х		
9		Phillips				х				Х		
		Sedgqick				X				X		
		Washington Yuma				X				X		
		Archuleta	1		<del>                                     </del>	X X	<del>                                     </del>			X X		
		Delta				×				X		
		Dolores				x				x		
		Grand				х				x		
		Gunnison				х	[			x		
		Hinsdale				х				x		
		Jackson				х				х		
10	Other CO-West	La Plata				х				X		
		Lake Moffat				х				Х		
		Montezuma				X				X		
		Montrose Ouray				X				X		
		Rio Blanco				X				X Y		
		Routt				x x				x x		
		San Juan				x	[			X		
		San Miguel				x				x		
		Eagle	1			X				X		
4.4	Other CO Days	Garfield				х				x		
11	Other CO-Resort	Pitkin				х				x		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Mover Rates are rates we have set in place for PPO members who decide to move to a county where we currently do not sell PPO plans, eventhough we have a PPO network, but wish to keep their same plan and network.

#### Colorado

#### Humana Insurance Company & Humana Health Plan, Inc.

#### **Seperation of Network Factors from Geographic Factors**

To the extent allowed by applicable rating regulation, area rating for previously marketed products in the state of Colorado reflects historical claims experience to achieve the same target loss ratio for all geographic areas in the state. This means that the area factors on existing business under a certain legal entity currently include a component related to morbidity.

Beginning in 2014 such rating practice is no longer permitted on non-grandfathered products, and in order to comply with Federal market rating rules we have adjusted our area rating to strictly reflect only differences in underlying geographic charge levels and any anticipated network savings.

The final proposed geographic network factors, the development of which is illustrated below, will apply to new non-grandfathered business issued in 2014. They are produced by taking current area factors, adjusting them to reflect only underlying charge level, adjusting for anticipated relative network savings, and normalizing to an average overall factor of 1.0.

The applicability of these factors conforms to the standardized rating area definitions; however, within a particular area, one of several possible geographic network factors may apply, depending on the network of the plan selected. The difference between such factors reflects only the difference in expected network savings and efficiency. An example of this can be seen in rating area 2, where factors exist for both the HMOx and National POS networks, the difference of which reflects only the relative network savings and efficiency between the two networks.

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						Raw	Raw Network Factor Normalized Network Factor			Area Fac	tor * Netw	ork Factor	Area * Ne	etwork (Norr	nalized)		
Rating	Reference Market	Current Area	Pure Unit	<u>Area</u>	Normalized Area	HIC	HI	<u> 1P</u>	HIC	<u>HI</u>	<u>1P</u>	HIC	<u>H</u>	HP_	<u>HIC</u>	<u>HH</u>	P
<u>Area</u>	<u>Name</u>	Factor <sup>(1)</sup>	Cost Factor <sup>(1)</sup>	Factor <sup>(2)</sup>	Factor <sup>(3)</sup>	PPO	POS	<u>HMOx</u>	PPO	POS	<b>HMOx</b>	PPO	POS	<u>HMOx</u>	PPO	POS	<b>HMOx</b>
1	Boulder	1.1183	1.0916	1.1023	0.9773	1.0000	0.9800		1.0000	1.3757		0.9773	1.3445		0.9773	1.5280	
2	Colorado Springs	0.8435	0.9538	0.9097	0.8066	1.0000	0.9800	0.7195	1.0000	1.3757	1.0100	0.8066	1.1096	0.8146	0.8066	1.2611	0.9258
3	Denver	1.0442	1.0015	1.0186	0.9031	1.0000	0.9250	0.6644	1.0000	1.2985	0.9327	0.9031	1.1727	0.8423	0.9031	1.3328	0.9573
4	Fort Collins-Loveland	1.0103	1.1818	1.1132	0.9870	1.0000			1.0000			0.9870			0.9870		l
5	Grand Junction	1.2301	1.1517	1.1831	1.0490	1.0000			1.0000			1.0490			1.0490		l
6	Greeley	1.0103	1.1918	1.1192	0.9923	1.0000			1.0000			0.9923			0.9923		l
7	Pueblo	1.3951	1.1818	1.2671	1.1235	1.0000			1.0000			1.1235			1.1235		l
8	Other CO-East South	1.5464	1.0816	1.2675	1.1238	1.0000			1.0000			1.1238			1.1238		l
9	Other CO-East North	1.4702	1.0816	1.2370	1.0968	1.0000			1.0000			1.0968			1.0968		l
10	Other CO-West	1.6626	1.0816	1.3140	1.1651	1.0000			1.0000			1.1651			1.1651		l
11	Other CO-Resort	1.4235	1.0816	1.2184	1.0802	1.0000			1.0000			1.0802			1.0802		<u> </u>
Average		1.0541	1.1770	1.1279	1.0000	1.0000	0.9410	0.6770	1.0000	1.3209	0.9503		1.1634	0.8360	1.0000	1.3223	0.9501
-						0.7124				1.0	00		0.	880		1.00	)0

<sup>(1)</sup> Reflect PPO Network filed under Humana Insurance Company

Note: There was a minor error in the calculation of the PPO geographic network factor proposed above for the Boulder rating area. This error results in a factor that is approximately 5.7% lower than it otherwise should be, but we are deciding not to correct this factor at this time. As previously communicated, the PPO factor in Boulder rating area 1 (and similarly in rating areas 2 and 3) is only included for the purposes of supporting rate calculations for intrastate movers that wish to remain on their existing HumanaOne policy. Unless HumanaOne PPO policyholders, issued in 2014, move to rating area 1 during their 2014 plan year, this factor will not be used.

#### **Network Discount Development**

The 2014 Denver discount was calculated as described below:

20.1% savings in costs between HMO and NPOS in the Denver market

0.799 savings converted to factor format (1 - 0.201 = .799)

- x 0.992 multiplicative factor to recognize the removal of OON coverage
  - 0.020 subtracted to account for the 2% savings expected from the HMO gatekeeper
- 0.054 subtracted to account for an expected savings from the prescription drug network and change to the formulary
- = 0.719 combined network difference, which is a 28.1% network discount.
- .925 relative to PPO (7.5% lower)
- = .6644 raw network factor

The 2014 Colorado Springs discount was calculated as described below:

- 18.5% savings in costs between HMO and NPOS in the Denver market
- 0.815 savings converted to factor format (1 0.201 = .799)
- x 0.992 multiplicative factor to recognize the removal of OON coverage
- 0.020 subtracted to account for the 2% savings expected from the HMO gatekeeper
- 0.054 subtracted to account for an expected savings from the prescription drug network and change to the formulary
- = 0.734 combined network difference, which is a 26.6% network discount.
- x .980 relative to PPO (2% lower)
- = .7195 raw network factor

<sup>(2)</sup> A 60/40 blend of pure unit cost & current area is used here. The pure unit cost is not used because we believe provider utilization patterns not related to morbidity account for some of the variation in the current area factors

<sup>(3)</sup> Normalized to a 1.0 by using the PPO area distribution

#### **Explanation of Risk Adjustment Estimate**

The narrative below explains the 15.9% expected Risk Adjustment charge included in the rate filing. It is important to note that this figure is based on modeling work completed before the change to form discontinuance. We submitted these estimates in the rate filing because we judged updating the models would have a negligible impact on the final rates.

Humana Insurance Company is projected to pay 15.9% of premium in Risk Adjustment Transfer Payments in 2014. Such a large charge is anticipated due the relatively low risk score we anticipate to have on this block of membership. This can be observed in column C of Exhibit 1, where Humana Insurance Company and the overall Colorado market has risk scores of 0.658 and 0.848 respectively.

We expect the morbidity of the Humana Insurance Company membership to be relatively low because there will be a limited amount of new enrollees in 2014. The 2014 enrollment will be small because plans under this legal entity will not be offered on-exchange and will not be marketed in Denver, Boulder, and Colorado Springs. In addition, the PPO network on this legal entity has modest discounts that lead to premium rates which are not expected to be competitive with other issuers. Consequently, we anticipate few new enrollees on this legal entity.

The small amount of new enrollment means the membership block will be primarily comprised of members enrolled prior to 2014. These members have been medically underwritten and therefore would have a significantly lower morbidity than 2014 new enrollees. This lower morbidity drives the lower risk scores. As shown in column B (Exhibit 1), we project 77% of Humana Insurance Company 2014 membership to have been previously underwritten. This is a much greater proportion compared to the 42% expected in the total Colorado market. Accordingly, the greater proportion of low morbidity, underwritten membership drives risk scores that are significantly lower than the market average.

The Risk Adjustment Transfer Payments in column F are calculated using the HHS Risk Adjustment Transfer Payment Formula as detailed in the Federal Notice of Benefit and Payment Parameters. This formula uses the risk scores from column C and the state average premium from column H. In addition, Actuarial Value (AV) and Induced Demand Factor (IDF) from the formula use the federally prescribed values that correspond to each metal tier. The Allowable Rating Factor (ARF) and Geographic Cost Factor (GCF) are assumed to be 1.0 in the calculation.

While the paragraphs above describe the assumptions and perspectives that were taken in developing the pricing for this legal entity, we recognize the goals that the Department has in keeping the risk value of risk adjustment assumed by carriers within a reasonably small window (+/- 5%, as previously communicated). In response to that request, we have since revised the materials for this filing to reflect a risk adjustment transfer assumption of 0.0% (\$0.00 PMPM). This can be interpreted as essentially assuming the "market average" risk adjustment transfer payment.

However, there is an interrelationship between risk adjustment and morbidity that must be recognized in pricing in order for all assumptions to remain internally consistent and pricing to remain adequate.

That is, both morbidity and risk adjustment transfer assumptions must either both reflect legal entity-specific expectations or both reflect market-wide expectations. Failure to do this creates inconsistency in assumptions and, ultimately, a bias in pricing. Originally, these two values reflected legal entity-specific expectations. Since we are revising our risk adjustment assumption to the market-wide average, it is only appropriate to revise our morbidity assumption to the market-wide expected level as well. The materials included with this response reflect both of these changes. In total, these two revisions have no impact to the rates (both single risk pool average premium and individual rating factors), as currently proposed.

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State: Colorado Filing Company: Humana Insurance Company

TOI/Sub-TOI: H16I Individual Health - Major Medical/H16I.005A Individual - Preferred Provider (PPO)

Product Name: CO HIC Suite C PPO & CO HIC Suite C POS

Project Name/Number: /

#### **Superseded Schedule Items**

Please note that all items on the following pages are items, which have been replaced by a newer version. The newest version is located with the appropriate schedule on previous pages. These items are in date order with most recent first.

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07/11/2013		Rate	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01	07/30/2013	CO HIC Rate Manual 01_01_2014.pdf (Superceded)
07/01/2013		Rate	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01	07/11/2013	CO HIC Suite C Rate Manual.pdf (Superceded)
06/19/2013		Rate	CO HIC Rate Manual 2014_01_01	07/01/2013	CO HIC Suite C Rate Manual.pdf (Superceded)
06/19/2013		Supporting Document	Unified Rate Review Template	07/17/2013	H1_SBE_CO_PPO_unified_rate_rev iew-fix.xls (Superceded)
06/17/2013		Supporting Document	Rate Review Detail	06/19/2013	5- 2014 Rate-Rule Schedule & Rate Review Detail (CO HIC).pdf (Superceded)
06/06/2013		Supporting Document	Actuarial Memorandum and Certifications	07/17/2013	CO PPO Actuarial Memorandum and Exhibits_revised 3.pdf (Superceded)
06/05/2013		Supporting Document	Unified Rate Review Template	06/19/2013	UnifiedRateReviewSubmission-CO PPO.xml (Superceded) H1_SBE_CO_PPO_unified_rate_review-fix.xls (Superceded)
06/05/2013		Supporting Document	Actuarial Memorandum	06/19/2013	2 - Actuarial Memorandum_HIC (2014.01.01).pdf (Superceded)
06/05/2013		Supporting Document	Rate Review Detail	06/17/2013	5- 2014 Rate-Rule Schedule & Rate Review Detail.pdf (Superceded)

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05/15/2013		Supporting Document	Actuarial Memorandum and Certifications	06/06/2013	CO PPO Actuarial Memorandum and Exhibits_revised 2.pdf (Superceded)
05/15/2013		Supporting Document	Unified Rate Review Template	06/05/2013	UnifiedRateReviewSubmission-CO PPO.xml
05/15/2013		Supporting Document	Actuarial Memorandum	06/05/2013	2 - Actuarial Memorandum CO HIC 2014_01_01.pdf (Superceded)
05/15/2013		Supporting Document	Exhibit A - Past and Future Projected Experience	06/05/2013	3 - Exhibit A - CO HIC Past & Projected Future Experience.xlsx
05/15/2013		Supporting Document	Exhibit B - Trend Exhibits	06/05/2013	4 - Exhibit B - Trend Exhibits.xlsx (Superceded)
05/15/2013		Supporting Document	Rate Review Detail	06/05/2013	5 - 2014 Rate Review Detail Supporting Document.pdf (Superceded)
05/15/2013		Supporting Document	Rate Sample	05/30/2013	7 - CO HIC Rate Sample 2014_01_01.xlsx (Superceded)

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## **Average Premium**

\$359.67

#### Plan Designs & Factors

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Humana Preferred Silver 4250/6250 Plan	79509CO0550004	Suite C - Rx4	Silver	\$4,250	80%	\$6,250	\$1,500	1.0730
Humana Preferred Bronze 6300/6300 Plan	79509CO0550002	Suite C - Rx4	Bronze	\$6,300	100%	\$6,300	Integrated	0.9120
Humana Preferred Silver 3650/3650 Plan	79509CO0550005	Suite C - Rx4	Silver	\$3,650	100%	\$3,650	Integrated	1.0545

Average Factor 1.0000

Note:The above listed plans are also offered on our POS Network. Those POS plan factors can be found in the rate manual submitted under HUMA-129026181.

## **Age Factors**

Age of Member	Factor
Fourth+ Dependents	0.0000
0-20	0.5372
21	0.8461
22	0.8461
23	0.8461
24	0.8461
25	0.8494
26	0.8664
27	0.8867
28	0.9197
29	0.9467
30	0.9603
31	0.9806
32	1.0009
33	1.0136
34	1.0271
35	1.0339
36	1.0406
37	1.0474
38	1.0542
39	
	1.0677
40	1.0813
41	1.1016
42	1.1210
43	1.1481
44	1.1819
45	1.2217
46	1.2691
47	1.3224
48	1.3833
49	1.4434
50	1.5111
51	1.5779
52	1.6515
53	1.7260
54	1.8063
55	1.8867
56	1.9738
57	2.0618
58	2.1558
59	2.2023
60	2.2962
61	2.3774
62	2.4307
63	2.4976
64+	2.5382

Demonstration of Compliance
Demonstration of Compliance
Factor compared to age 21
0.000
0.635
1.000
1.000
1.000 1.000
1.004
1.024
1.048
1.048
1.119
1.135
1.159
1.183
1.198
1.214
1.222
1.230
1.238
1.246
1.262
1.278
1.302
1.325
1.357
1.397
1.444
1.500
1.563
1.635
1.706
1.786
1.865
1.952
2.040
2.135
2.230
2.333
2.437
2.548
2.603
2.714
2.810
2.873
2.952
3.000

Average Factor 1.0000

### **Tobacco Use Factors**

The following factors will be applied based on the member's tobacco usage, as determined by the tobacco usage guidelines.

Age of Member	Non-Tobacco User	Tobacco User
0-20	0.9941	0.9941
21	0.9941	1.0935
22	0.9941	1.0935
23	0.9941	1.0935
24	0.9941	1.0935
25	0.9941	1.0935
26	0.9941	1.0935
27	0.9941	1.0935
28	0.9941	1.0935
29	0.9941	1.0935
30	0.9941	1.0935
31	0.9941	1.0935
32	0.9941	1.0935
33	0.9941	1.0935
34	0.9941	1.0935
35	0.9941	1.0935
36	0.9941	1.0935
37	0.9941	1.0935
38	0.9941	1.0935
39	0.9941	1.0935
40	0.9941	1.0935
41	0.9941	1.0935
42	0.9941	1.0935
43	0.9941	1.0935
44	0.9941	1.0935
45	0.9941	1.0935
46	0.9941	1.0935
47	0.9941	1.0935
48	0.9941	1.0935
49	0.9941	1.0935
50	0.9941	1.0935
51	0.9941	1.0935
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60	0.9941	1.0935
61	0.9941	1.0935
62	0.9941	1.0935
63	0.9941	1.0935
64+	0.9941	1.0935

Demonstration of Compliance
Factor compared to Non-Tobacco User
1.000
1.100
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1.100

Average Factor 1.0000

## **Geographic & Network Factors**

The following factors will be applied according to the policyholder's place of residence.

place of residence.		Geogra	Geographic		
		PP	0	PPO	
Rating Area	Reference Market Name	New Business	Mover		
1	Boulder		0.9212	1.0000	
2	Colorado Springs		0.8066	1.0000	
3	Denver	0.9031	0.9031	1.0000	
4	Fort Collins-Loveland	0.9870		1.0000	
5	Grand Junction	1.0490		1.0000	
6	Greeley	0.9923		1.0000	
7	Pueblo	1.1235		1.0000	
8	Other CO-East South	1.1238		1.0000	
9	Other CO-East North	1.0968		1.0000	
10	Other CO-West	1.1651		1.0000	
11	Other CO-Resort	1.0802		1.0000	

Average Factor	1.0000

Note: Rating Area 3 New Business factors are for Clear Creek, Gilpin and Lake County only. POS factors can be found in the rate manual submitted under HUMA-129026181

## **Definition of Service Areas**

New business selling areas are defined by groups of counties. For reference only. For complete plan availability, see the Service Area template.

		New Business Only			
		Network			
Rating Area	Reference Market Name	POS	PPO		
1	Boulder	Boulder			
2	Colorado Springs	El Paso, Teller			
3	Denver	Adams, Arapahoe, Broomfield, Denver, Douglas, Elbert, Jefferson	Clear Creek, Gilpin, Park		
4	Fort Collins-Loveland	n/a	Larimer		
5	Grand Junction	n/a	Mesa		
6	Greeley	n/a	Weld		
7	Pueblo	n/a	Pueblo		
8	Other CO-East South	n/a	Alamosa, Baca, Bent, Chaffee, Cheyenne, Conejos, Costilla, Crowley, Custer, Fremont, Huerfano, Kiowa, Kit Carson, Las Animas, Lincoln, Otero, Prowers, Rio Grande		
9	Other CO-East North	n/a	Logan, Morgan, Phillips, Sedgwick, Washington, Yuma		
10	Other CO-West	n/a	Archuleta, Delta, Grand, Jackson, La Plata, Lake, Moffat, Montezuma, Montrose, Rio Blanco, Routt		
11	Other CO-Resort	n/a	Eagle, Garfield, Pitkin, Summit		

#### **Modal Factors**

The following factors will be applied according to the payment mode selected. These factors will be applied at the end of the rate calculation.

Payment Frequency	Factor
Monthly	1.0000
Quarterly	3.0000
Semi-Annual	6.0000

An administrative fee of \$5 will be charged for each paper bill generated and each recurring credit card transaction. The fee is waived for electronic funds transmission (EFT). A \$25 fee is charged for checks returned with, or Electronic Fund Transactions resulting in, insufficient funds. A \$25 fee is charged for late payment and a \$25 fee is charged to reinstate a lapsed policy.

## **Algorithm Details**

Step through this algorithm for each member.

	Average Premium
X	Plan Factor
X	Age Factor
Х	Tobacco Use Factor
X	Geographic Factor
X	Network Factor
=	Subtotal (rounded to nearest penny)
X	Modal Factor
=	Rate

## **Sample Rate Calculation**

Plan: Humana Preferred Silver 3650/3650 Plan Availability: Off-Exchange (includes Ped. Dental)

Tobacco Use: Non-Tobacco User

Rating Area: 4

Reference Market: Fort Collins-Loveland

Network: PPO
Payment Mode: Monthly

	Mbr #1	Mbr #2	Mbr #3	Mbr #4	Mbr #5	Mbr #6	
Age	: 40	32	7	5	3	1	
Average Premium	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	
Plan Factor	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	
Age Factor	1.0813	1.0009	0.5372	0.5372	0.5372	0.0000	
Tobacco Use Factor	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	
Geographic Factor	0.9870	0.9870	0.9870	0.9870	0.9870	0.9870	
Network Factor	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	
Subtotal (rounded to nearest penny)	\$402.39	\$372.47	\$199.91	\$199.91	\$199.91	\$0.00	
Modal Factor	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	
Rate	\$402.39	\$372.47	\$199.91	\$199.91	\$199.91	\$0.00	1,374.
	Average Premium Plan Factor Age Factor Tobacco Use Factor Geographic Factor Network Factor Subtotal (rounded to nearest penny) Modal Factor	Age:       40         Average Premium       \$359.67         Plan Factor       1.0545         Age Factor       1.0813         Tobacco Use Factor       0.9941         Geographic Factor       0.9870         Network Factor       1.0000         Subtotal (rounded to nearest penny)       \$402.39         Modal Factor       1.0000	Age: 40       32         Average Premium       \$359.67       \$359.67         Plan Factor       1.0545       1.0545         Age Factor       1.0813       1.0009         Tobacco Use Factor       0.9941       0.9941         Geographic Factor       0.9870       0.9870         Network Factor       1.0000       1.0000         Subtotal (rounded to nearest penny)       \$402.39       \$372.47         Modal Factor       1.0000       1.0000	Age:       40       32       7         Average Premium       \$359.67       \$359.67       \$359.67         Plan Factor       1.0545       1.0545       1.0545         Age Factor       1.0813       1.0009       0.5372         Tobacco Use Factor       0.9941       0.9941       0.9941         Geographic Factor       0.9870       0.9870       0.9870         Network Factor       1.0000       1.0000       1.0000         Subtotal (rounded to nearest penny)       \$402.39       \$372.47       \$199.91         Modal Factor       1.0000       1.0000       1.0000	Age:         40         32         7         5           Average Premium         \$359.67         \$359.67         \$359.67         \$359.67           Plan Factor         1.0545         1.0545         1.0545         1.0545           Age Factor         1.0813         1.0009         0.5372         0.5372           Tobacco Use Factor         0.9941         0.9941         0.9941         0.9941         0.9941           Geographic Factor         0.9870         0.9870         0.9870         0.9870           Network Factor         1.0000         1.0000         1.0000         1.0000           Subtotal (rounded to nearest penny)         \$402.39         \$372.47         \$199.91         \$199.91           Modal Factor         1.0000         1.0000         1.0000         1.0000         1.0000	Age: 40       32       7       5       3         Average Premium       \$359.67       \$359.67       \$359.67       \$359.67       \$359.67       \$359.67       \$359.67       \$359.67       \$359.67       \$359.67       \$359.67       \$359.67       \$359.67       \$359.67       \$359.67       \$359.67       \$1.0545       1.0545	Age:       40       32       7       5       3       1         Average Premium       \$359.67       \$10545       1.0545       <

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25	0.8494
26	0.8664
27	0.8867
28	0.9197
29	0.9467
30	0.9603
31	0.9806
32	1.0009
33	1.0136
34	1.0271
35	1.0339
36	1.0406
37	1.0474
38	1.0542
39	1.0677
40	1.0813
41	1.1016
42	1.1210
43	1.1481
44	1.1819
45	1.2217
46	1.2691
47	1.3224
48	1.3833
49	1.4434
50	1.5111
51	1.5779
52	1.6515
53	1.7260
54	1.8063
55	1.8867
56	1.9738
57	2.0618
58	2.1558
59	2.2023
60	2.2962
61	2.3774
62	2.4307
63	2.4976
64+	2.5382

Demonstration of Compliance
Factor compared to age 21
0.000
0.635
1.000
1.000
1.000
1.000
1.004
1.024
1.048
1.087
1.119
1.135
1.159
1.183
1.198
1.214
1.222
1.230
1.238
1.246
1.262
1.278
1.302
1.325
1.357
1.397
1.444
1.500
1.563
1.635
1.706
1.786
1.786
1.952
2.040
2.135
2.230
2.333
2.437
2.548
2.603
2.714
2.810
2.873
2.952
3.000

Average Factor	1.0000

### **Tobacco Use Factors**

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63	0.9941	1.0935
64+	0.9941	1.0935

Demonstration of Compliance				
Factor compared to Non-Tobacco User				
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## **Geographic Network Factors**

The following factors will be applied according to the policyholder's place of residence.

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Rating Area	Reference Market Name	New Business	Mover
1	Boulder		0.9212
2	Colorado Springs		0.8066
3	Denver	0.9031	0.9031
4	Fort Collins-Loveland	0.9870	
5	Grand Junction	1.0490	
6	Greeley	0.9923	
7	Pueblo	1.1235	
8	Other CO-East South	1.1238	
9	Other CO-East North	1.0968	
10	Other CO-West	1.1651	
11	Other CO-Resort	1.0802	

Average Factor	1.0000

Note: Rating Area 3 New Business factors are for Clear Creek, Gilpin and Lake County only. POS factors can be found in the rate manual submitted under HUMA-129026181

## **Definition of Service Areas**

New business selling areas are defined by groups of counties. For reference only. For complete plan availability, see the Service Area template.

		New Business Only				
		Network				
Rating Area	Reference Market Name	POS	PPO			
1	Boulder	Boulder				
2	Colorado Springs	El Paso, Teller				
3	Denver	Adams, Arapahoe, Broomfield, Denver, Douglas, Elbert, Jefferson	Clear Creek, Gilpin, Park			
4	Fort Collins-Loveland	n/a	Larimer			
5	Grand Junction	n/a	Mesa			
6	Greeley	n/a	Weld			
7	Pueblo	n/a	Pueblo			
8	Other CO-East South	n/a	Alamosa, Baca, Bent, Chaffee, Cheyenne, Conejos, Costilla, Crowley, Custer, Fremont, Huerfano, Kiowa, Kit Carson, Las Animas, Lincoln, Otero, Prowers, Rio Grande			
9	Other CO-East North	n/a	Logan, Morgan, Phillips, Sedgwick, Washington, Yuma			
10	Other CO-West	n/a	Archuleta, Delta, Grand, Jackson, La Plata, Lake, Moffat, Montezuma, Montrose, Rio Blanco, Routt			
11	Other CO-Resort	n/a	Eagle, Garfield, Pitkin, Summit			

### **Modal Factors**

The following factors will be applied according to the payment mode selected. These factors will be applied at the end of the rate calculation.

Payment Frequency	Factor
Monthly	1.0000
Quarterly	3.0000
Semi-Annual	6.0000

An administrative fee of \$5 will be charged for each paper bill generated and each recurring credit card transaction. The fee is waived for electronic funds transmission (EFT). A \$25 fee is charged for checks returned with, or Electronic Fund Transactions resulting in, insufficient funds. A \$25 fee is charged for late payment and a \$25 fee is charged to reinstate a lapsed policy.

## **Algorithm Details**

Step through this algorithm for each member.

	Average Premium
Х	Plan Factor
Х	Age Factor
X	Tobacco Use Factor
Х	Geographic Network Factor
=	Subtotal (rounded to nearest penny)
Х	Modal Factor
=	Rate

## **Sample Rate Calculation**

Plan: Humana Preferred Silver 3650/3650 Plan Availability: Off-Exchange (includes Ped. Dental) Tobacco Use: Non-Tobacco User

Rating Area: 6
Reference Market: Greeley Network: PPO Payment Mode: Monthly

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	Age	: 40	32	7	5	3	1	
	Average Premium	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	
X	Plan Factor	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	
Х	Age Factor	1.0813	1.0009	0.5372	0.5372	0.5372	0.0000	
X	Tobacco Use Factor	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	
X	Geographic Network Factor	0.9923	0.9923	0.9923	0.9923	0.9923	0.9923	
=	Subtotal (rounded to nearest penny)	\$404.55	\$374.47	\$200.98	\$200.98	\$200.98	\$0.00	
X	Modal Factor	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	
=	Rate	\$404.55	\$374.47	\$200.98	\$200.98	\$200.98	\$0.00	\$1,381.96

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## **Average Premium**

\$359.67

## **Plan Designs & Factors**

							Off-Exchange
Plan Name	Plan Suite	Plan Tier	Deductible	Coinsurance	Max OOP	Rx Deductible	(includes Ped. Dental)
Humana Preferred Basic 6350/6350 Plan	Suite C - Rx4	Catastrophic	\$6,350	100%	\$6,350	Integrated	0.7341
Humana Preferred Bronze 4850/6350 Plan	Suite C - Rx4	Bronze	\$4,850	80%	\$6,350	\$1,500	1.0260
Humana Preferred Silver 4250/6250 Plan	Suite C - Rx4	Silver	\$4,250	80%	\$6,250	\$1,500	1.0730
Humana Preferred Bronze 6300/6300 Plan	Suite C - Rx4	Bronze	\$6,300	100%	\$6,300	Integrated	0.9120
Humana Preferred Silver 3650/3650 Plan	Suite C - Rx4	Silver	\$3,650	100%	\$3,650	Integrated	1.0545

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	Average Factor	1.0000

## **Age Factors**

Age of Member	Factor
Fourth+ Dependents	0.0000
0-20	0.5372
21	0.8461
22	0.8461
23	0.8461
24	0.8461
25	0.8494
26	0.8664
27	0.8867
28	0.9197
29	0.9467
30	0.9603
31	0.9806
32	1.0009
33	1.0136
34	1.0271
35	1.0339
36	1.0406
37	1.0474
38	1.0542
39	1.0677
40	1.0813
41	1.1016
42	1.1210
43	1.1481
44	1.1819
45	1.2217
46	1.2691
47	1.3224
48	1.3833
49	1.4434
50	1.5111
51	1.5779
52	1.6515
53	1.7260
54	1.8063
55	1.8867
56	1.9738
57	2.0618
58	2.1558
59	2.2023
60	2.2962
61	2.3774
62	2.4307
63	2.4976
64+	2.5382

Demonstration of Compliance
Factor compared to age 21
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Average Factor 1.0000

#### **Tobacco Use Factors**

The following factors will be applied based on the member's tobacco usage, as determined by the tobacco usage guidelines.

Age of Member	Non-Tobacco User	Tobacco User
0-20	0.9941	0.9941
21	0.9941	1.0935
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Factor compared to Non-Tobacco User
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X	Modal Factor
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#### Supporting Exhibit: Rate Review Detail (SERFF Requirement)

The purpose of this document is to explain the assumptions used when calculating fields for the rate review detail window in SERFF.

#### **Requested Rate Change Information**

Change Period: Annual Member Months<sup>(1)</sup>: 167,614 Benefit Change: Increase

> Min<sup>(2)</sup> Weighted Avg<sup>(2)</sup>

Percent Rate Change Requested: 0.0% 0.0% 0.0%

#### **Prior Rate**

Total Earned Premium(3): \$0 Total Incurred Claims<sup>(3)</sup>: \$0

<u>Min</u>(4) Weighted Avg<sup>(6)</sup>

Annual \$:

#### **Requested Rate**

Projected Earned Premium<sup>(7)</sup>: \$8,687,169 Projected Incurred Claims<sup>(7)</sup>: \$6,515,377

> <u>Mi</u>n<sup>(8)</sup> Weighted Ava<sup>(10)</sup>

Annual \$: 139 360

- (1) Based on data from January 2012 through December 2012.
- (2) Not applicable, this is the initial filing.
- (3) Not applicable, this is the initial filing.
- (4) Not applicable, this is the initial filing.
- (5) Not applicable, this is the initial filing.
- (6) Not applicable, this is the initial filing.
- (7) Projected over calendar year 2014, including policy reserves.
- (8) The Minimum Annual \$ is the lowest possible monthly rate per member for standard benefits effective January 1, 2014.
- (9) The Maximum Annual \$ is the highest possible monthly rate per member for standard benefits effective January 1, 2014.
- (10) The Weighted Average Annual \$ is the pmpm projected premium on a January 1, 2014 basis.

## Humana Insurance Company Colorado

**HIOS Identification: 79509** 

This filing is for the individual market, with an effective date of 01/01/2014.

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#### **Purpose:**

The purpose of this actuarial memorandum is to provide supporting justification to the Unified Rate Review template with the goal of demonstrating compliance with the market rating rules, as well as reasonableness of any proposed rates.

In addition, this actuarial memorandum provides required actuarial certifications related to:

- the methodology used to calculate the AV Metal Value for each plan
- the appropriateness of the essential health benefit portion of premium upon which advanced payment of premium tax credits (APTCs) are based
- the index rate is developed in accordance with federal regulations and the index rate along with allowable modifiers are used in the development of plan specific premium rates

This filing should be used for no other purposes.

This memorandum was prepared by a qualified actuary, and is intended to be reviewed by a qualified actuary.

#### **Reasons for Rate Increases**

This actuarial memorandum accommodates both rate increases for our terminated products, which will be closed to new entrants. The following paragraphs detail the components of the change in index rate for our current in force non-grandfathered terminated products and used in development for our new 2014 products.

Following a summary of the cumulative impacts at the beginning of this memo, we will walk through each item, how it impacts 2014 index rates, and the quantification. 2012 experience was used as the basis for the projected 2014 rates.

Rate Increases Driven by Changes in Allowed Claims		
A. Morbidity	74.8%	
B. Medical Inflation & Trend	7.1%	(This is a 2 year figure, 3.5% annually)
C. Increased Utilization	10.6%	(This is a 2 year figure, 5.2% annually)
D. Change in Benefits	6.3%	
E. Change in Demographics	1.5%	
F. Network Impacts	0.0%	
Total	123.4%	
Other Rate Increase Drivers		
G. New Taxes & Fees	1.4%	
H. Reinsurance Program	-7.9%	
I. Risk Adjustment	15.9%	
Total	8.2%	
Grand Total	141.8%	

A. Single risk pool experience which is more adverse than that assumed in the current rates & morbidity:

This adjustment is intended to capture the change in underlying morbidity for the risk pool in 2014 compared to the current risk pool. Due to the removal of pre-existing condition limitations combined with 2014 rules disallowing underwriting rate adjustment or exclusionary riders, it is anticipated that the average morbidity for policies issued in 2014 will be much greater than the average morbidity in the individual market today. The new, expected "influx" of uninsured members, is a key driver to the change in the risk pool.

Morbidity levels are expected to be similar to those of small group given that the underwriting will be similar between the segments in 2014. It is reasonable to assume that individual morbidity will be higher since the individual market is likely to experience greater anti-selection where the sole purpose of purchasing individual coverage is based on need whereas, in the small group market, it is a by-product of being employed by the organization. Similarly, the mere requirement of being healthy enough to retain employment may lead to lower morbidity where this requirement does not exist in the individual market. For these reasons, the starting point for developing the 2014 guaranteed issue impact is gauging the relative morbidity between the individual and small group markets today. External consultants were also worked with to estimate the impact of the new single risk pool experience.

Increased utilization due to the impact of member behavioral changes when on a plan with richer benefits must be accounted for. This excludes the impact of health status. Further detail on the impact of increased utilization by plan and level of cost sharing subsidization is detailed later in the actuarial memorandum.

The impact of morbidity in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 74.8%.

#### B. Medical inflation & medical cost claims trend:

Rate increases required to account for increases in medical claim costs were selected based on historical trend results, anticipated claim trend (excluding Affordable Care Act impacts) for 2014, and separated for new membership compared to existing membership to account for the changes in renewal cycle to accommodate implementation of the Affordable Care Act (ACA) compliant products. The impact of medical inflation and medical cost claims trend from midpoint of 2012 to midpoint of 2014 in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 7.1%, or 3.5% annualized.

#### C. Increased Utilization

Rate increases required to account for increases in utilization were selected based on historical trend results, anticipated claim trend (excluding Affordable Care Act impacts) for 2014, and separated for new membership compared to existing membership to account for the changes in renewal cycle to accommodate implementation of the Affordable Care Act (ACA) compliant products.

The impact of increased utilization from midpoint of 2012 to midpoint of 2014 in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 10.6%, or 5.1% annualized.

#### D. Change in Benefits

All non-grandfathered plans must cover the essential health benefits package in 2014. The specifics of the essential health benefits are contained within the benchmark plan selected in each state.

There are two high level categories of benefits that require rate increases to account for in the individual market: behavioral services and other state-specific services.

Current plans do cover behavioral services but also impose visit limits as well as lower coinsurance rates and separate deductibles. The modification of cost sharing requires additional rate to cover the expected increase cost of services. State specific requirements embedded in the benchmark plan must also be provided and rates adjusted in accordance.

Please note, maternity coverage is already mandated in Colorado. An adjustment was made to account for the level of maternity claims expected in 2014 compared to the low level of maternity claims in the base experience period.

The impact of change in benefits in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 6.3%.

#### E. Change in Demographics

The change in demographics is meant to represent the shift in area mix of business distribution between 2012 and the new 2014 environment.

With the anticipated growth for 2014 and strategic selection of where products will be sold both on and off-exchange, there is an expected impact to the distribution of business by area. Since claim costs are known to vary by area, it is important to reflect this change.

The impact of change in demographics in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 1.5%.

#### F. Network Impacts

Existing non-grandfathered membership will remain on existing networks in 2014 unless those members electively choose to move to a new network and product.

New products in 2014 will be tied to new networks in many markets, particularly on exchange where network selection was made in order to achieve lower claim costs. There are four components to the network savings: improved network discounts, removal of out-of-network coverage, new pharmacy network and formulary, and care coordinator savings.

There is no network impact in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company.

#### G. New Taxes & Fees Imposed on the Insurer

There are two additional taxes and fees for 2014 that must be considered in the pricing:

- 1) 1.4% additional federal tax
- 2) Exchange user fee of 0.0% of premium

The additional federal tax is the \$8 billion tax assessed on the insurance industry for 2014. Humana's estimated liability based on net premium share of the market is \$505M. Price adjustments are required to reflect the liability compared to the estimated 2014 company premium revenue. This is not tax-deductible, the appropriate increased federal income tax liability is captured in the income tax line in the expense exhibit discussed later in the actuarial memorandum.

The exchange user fee applies only to on-exchange business but must be spread across all business.

The impact of new taxes and fees imposed on the insurer in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 1.4%.

#### H. Changes in payments from and contributions to the Federal Transitional Reinsurance Program

Rate adjustment to account for projected reinsurance recoveries net of reinsurance premium were also included in the rate development. Details of how projections were established and the corresponding magnitude are discussed at greater length later in the memorandum.

The impact driven by the Federal Transitional Reinsurance Program in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is -7.9%.

#### I. Risk Adjustment

Expected Risk Adjustment Transfer payments must be incorporated in rate development. Transfer payments received or paid impact plan liabilities and therefore rates must be adjusted accordingly. Further detail on the development of this adjustment is discussed later in the memorandum.

The impact of risk adjustment in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 15.9%.

#### **Additional Commentary on Reasons for Rate Increases**

It should be noted that given the timeline of release of regulations, template requirements, and submission deadlines, pricing methodologies different from those prescribed by the Unified Rate Review Template were employed to develop 2014 pricing. Existing non-grandfathered business will be impacted by the elimination of rating factors utilized previously.

Removal of durational rating factors

Removal of underwriting rate-ups

Removal of spouse discount

Removal of preferred rating

Removal of family structure factors on H.S.A. Qualified plans

New rating rule capping the dependent premiums at 3 members

#### **Experience Period Premium and Claims**

Paid Through Date: February 28, 2013

Premiums net of MLR rebate: \$ 27,402,500 MLR Rebates: \$ 520,099

Estimated Rebates to be included: \$ -

Methodology for estimated Rebates: Rebates are the year-end accrual for 2012. The estimate was based on actual claims through the end of September 2012, with data projected through the end of the year. Since we have no state and legal entities that are fully credible in 2012 on their own, the 2012 rebates are based on two years worth of data. The 2011 data utilizes the submission used to generate rebates for the 2011 experience. Expense adjustments allowed under the rebate rules are estimated based on expense experience and future expectations.

	Allow	ed Claims	Incurred Claims	
Claims that were processed through the issuer's				
claim system	\$	28,079,365	\$	18,362,540
Claims that were processed outside the issuer's claim				
system	\$	2,017,805	\$	528,525
Claims incurred but not paid as of paid through date	\$	748,182	\$	469,611

The processed claims are claims incurred in 2012 paid through February 2013. The allowed amount comes directly from the claims system after eligibility and network discounts are applied.

To estimate incurred claims, reserve cells are categorized at the product and type of service detail and development methods with various averaging techniques are utilized, most commonly a six-month average excluding the high and low factors. Smoothing techniques are employed, including workday and seasonality adjustments. Changes in claim volume are included in these estimates by adjusting for pended claims.

For each month of incurral, the incurred but not reported amount equals the incurred claims estimate minus claims paid to date. Follow-up studies, including monthly historical reserve restatement analyses, are regularly performed to test the accuracy of the reserving methodology and suggest possible improvements.

Allowed but not reported estimates are developed utilizing the combination of the incurred but not reported estimate and the incurred to allowed ratio of historical claims.

#### **Benefit Categories**

The Benefit Categories are defined as follows:

Inpatient Hospital: Includes non-capitated services for medical, surgical, maternity, mental health and substance abuse, skilled nursing, and other services provided in an inpatient facility setting and billed by the facility.

Outpatient Hospital: Includes non-capitated services for surgery, emergency room, lab, radiology, therapy, observation and other services provided in an outpatient facility setting and billed by the facility. The Outpatient Hospital benefit category uses a combination of both visits and services to determine the utilization per 1,000. For items such as Outpatient Surgery and Emergency Room, where multiple services are rendered and can be billed together, visits are used for the measurement units. For single items that can be billed separately, such as Outpatient Therapy or MRI, services are used for the measurement units.

Professional: Includes non-capitated primary care, specialist, therapy, laboratory, radiology, and other professional services not billed by the facility. The Professional benefit category uses a combination of both visits and services to determine the utilization per 1,000. For items such as Primary Care or Specialist Office visits, where multiple services are rendered and can be billed together, visits are used for the measurement units. For single items that can be billed separately, such as Therapy or MRI, services are used for the measurement units.

Other Medical: Includes non-capitated ambulance, home health care, DME, prosthetics, supplies, vision exams, dental services and other services. The Other Medical benefit category uses a combination of both visits and services to determine the utilization per 1,000. For items such as Home Health visits, where multiple services are rendered and can be billed together, visits are used for the measurement units. For single items that can be billed separately, such as DME, services are used for the measurement units. Capitation: Includes all services provided under one or more capitated arrangements.

Prescription Drug: Includes drugs dispensed by a pharmacy. Costs are net of rebates received from drug manufacturers, as required.

#### 74.8% Changes in the Morbidity of the Population Insured [A]

This adjustment is intended to capture the change in underlying morbidity for the risk pool in 2014 compared to the current risk pool. To calculate the change in morbidity, both internal pricing analysis and consultant reviews were utilized. Internal modeling considered the relative morbidity of the current uninsured market, combined with the relative morbidity of the membership on employer plans and the migration between segments. It is additionally anticipated that the resulting morbidity for the new 2014 business that will be issued in the individual market will be slightly higher than the morbidity levels of the small group market in 2014. Intuitively, morbidity levels similar to those of small group are expected given that the underwriting will be similar between the segments in 2014. The fact that individual morbidity will be higher is also a reasonable assumption since the individual market is likely to experience greater antiselection where the sole purpose of purchasing individual coverage is based on need whereas in the small group market, it is a by-product of being employed by the organization. Similarly the mere requirement of being healthy enough to retain employment may lead to lower morbidity where this requirement does not exist in the individual market.

This data was adjusted to account for relative morbidity differences between the two segments, geographic mix differences, anticipated difference between the coverage of benefits, level of large claims, and new presence of richer benefits inducing additional demand. Analysis included consideration for the amount of new membership for the issuer at a higher morbidity level compared to the amount of existing membership at a lower morbidity level and change in renewal patterns. Internal modeling utilized consultant feedback for both growth factor estimates and also as a reasonability check.

The impact of morbidity, part of [A] above, is 51.1%.

The policy reserve adjustment is a portion of the MLR calculation that is unique to individual medical for policies effective in 2013 and earlier.

It is an MLR leveling mechanism that is needed to account for the fact that early duration loss ratios are significantly lower than later duration loss ratios.

The factors used for this adjustment were developed by comparing the claims over premium to claims plus change in policy reserves over premium in the experience period.

The change in reserves is the amount intended to levelize the claims plus change in policy reserves over premium ratio over the course of the policy life and therefore is used as a measure for how much the claims need to be modified by to get to an average lifetime level of morbidity. The source of the policy reserve data is the change in policy reserve information for the single risk pool.

The impact of the policy reserve adjustment, part of [A] above, is 9.4%.

[B] Medical Inflation & Trend and [C] Increased Utilization are discussed below.

The plan mix adjustment represents the impact to the allowed claims due to the anticipated change in benefit selection patterns between the base 2012 experience period and projected 2014 rating period.

This state's 2012 experience base is comprised of a relatively leaner benefit plan mix than we expect to have in 2014, due to the more select, healthier composition of the population underlying it.

In order to account for the absence of such positive selection in a more standard 2014 population, the allowed claims have increased.

This impact was quantified by comparing the anticipated 2014 benefit plan distribution against that which underlies the state's specific 2012 experience base.

Each was weighted by 2012 premiums for each benefit plan, normalized for the difference in paid to allowed ratio.

The impact of the plan mix adjustment, part of [A] above, is 5.8%.

#### 6.3% Changes in Benefits [D]

As outlined in the "Reasons for Rate Increases" portion of the memorandum, this reflects the changes in benefits available to membership including adding maternity benefits, modification for behavioral health services cost-sharing and state mandated benefits as function of the benchmark plan. The data used to derive the estimated impact of adding maternity coverage was based on Humana Small Group data since many Humana individual plans currently do not include maternity coverage in the state. The methodology employed was comparing the level of maternity claims compared to the total claims. This was adjusted to account for anticipated increase in maternity incident rates given the mix of business differences between small group and individual by federal poverty levels. The estimated impact of the contraceptive coverage under the Women's Preventive Care legislation was additionally taken into account as an offset to the higher incidence rates.

The data used to derive the estimated impact of changes in member cost-sharing levels for behavioral health services was based on small group data as well. This exercise started with an analysis of behavioral health claims compared to total and compared the marginal benefit ratio of the new and current plans that will result due to the Federal Mental Health Parity requirements. State specific mandated benefits based on the benchmark plans were determined individually using similar methodologies.

#### 1.5% Changes in Demographics [E]

This factor represents the impact to the allowed claims with respect to the change in demographics between the base 2012 experience period and the expected demographic mix in 2014.

The process used to derive the change in area began with the distribution of business in 2012 and expected in 2014 by state and legal entity. Each of these was weighted with average premium per member per month in each state and legal entity market. The change in the overall state and legal entity's weighted premium per member per month dictated the expected impact due to the shift to the new 2014 geographic distribution. Age and gender were held constant in this exercise.

#### 0.0% Other Adjustments - Network Impact [F]

This factor represents the impact to the allowed claims with the presence of new networks on new products in 2014 in many markets. Data used to evaluate this claim impact is based on Humana claims at a corporate level as well as the individual market. To generate the estimated impact, network savings were generated relative to the base network underlying the current products.

#### 18.4% Trend Factors: Cost & Utilization [B & C]

The cost trend captures pure unit cost changes from midpoint 2012 to midpoint 2014, calculated using the same basket of services each period, due to price/contract negotiations and provider distribution changes. Inpatient Hospital, Outpatient Hospital, Professional, Capitation and Other Medical cost trends are developed based on historical area specific cost trends from Humana's Individual Commercial block of business data. Future cost trends are developed based on expected changes in Humana's Commercial contracts.

Pharmacy cost trends are developed based on historical brand, generic, and specialty drug trends from Humana's Commercial data. Future cost trends are developed based on expected changes in these pharmacy contracts.

These contractual impacts will be applicable to all members regardless of risk class.

#### Utilization trend:

Using Humana's Trend Quantification and Projection model, a baseline utilization trend is developed using Humana's Individual Commercial block of business historical medical claims data from 2008 - 2012. The historical baseline utilization trend is developed by removing all known impacts to utilization net trend such as demographics, geography, duration, customer changes, benefit changes, new health technologies, utilization management initiatives, and changes in pertinent days. An economic regression model, based on consumer sentiment, personal disposable income, hospital construction, and high-tech medical equipment spend, is then fit to this historical baseline utilization data to project the future block of business baseline utilization trend for 2013 and 2014.

A midpoint to midpoint methodology is applied to determine the applicable baseline utilization trend, which incorporates 2012q3 and 2012q4 actual results at the state and legal entity level with the block of business baseline utilization trend for 2013 and 2014. This results in baseline utilization trends that vary at the state and legal entity level.

Other components are added to the baseline utilization trend to develop the total utilization trend provided. These include the following:

- Pertinent days Captures changes in the calendar, recognizing that health care utilization varies by day of the week and reporting periods contain varying weekday mix and count. This impact is developed through the use of an external consultant's model which is uploaded with Humana's Commercial claims data.
- New Health Technologies Captures the impact of new health technologies and procedures. An external consulting firm researches new technologies and develops per member per month impacts. These impacts are customized to Humana's Commercial business based on membership and coverage policy.
- Management Initiatives Captures savings for Humana initiatives designed to bend trend by managing utilization, such as case management, disease management, and nurse programs. These initiatives are evaluated by an internal actuarial organization tasked with evaluating the effectiveness of the initiatives. Evaluations are done through a collaborative effort involving clinical and other operational areas. Projected savings are calculated by determining prospective changes to impacted metric values, which are determined by analyzing historical metric values as well as through discussions with clinical and operational areas. Savings are reviewed with leadership to ensure appropriateness of assumptions. This describes the development of the core utilization trend. All impacts from healthcare reform have been removed and are included in the "Population Risk/Morbidity" and "Other" adjustments from Worksheet 1 to prevent double counting of any impacts.

#### **Credibility Manual Rate Development**

Source and Appropriateness of Experience Data Used, Adjustments Made to the Data, Inclusion of Capitation Payments

To credibility adjust this block of business, a credibility manual consisting of slight modifications to 2014 market projections was utilized.

Source data utilized for the credbility manual calculation includes Colorado Humana Insurance Company utilization per 1000 that mirrors the 2014 projected experience, adjusting to reflect the overall credibility of the block of business that we apply in pricing to ensure adequacy of rates.

The average cost per service is driven by the Colorado Humana Insurance Company 2014 projected experience in order to maintain representation of the provider contracts and distribution mix represented in the allowed claim derivation, also adjusted to reflect the credibility of the block of business to ensure pricing adequacy.

We do not expect to have services in the projection period provided under a capitation arrangement.

#### **Credibility of Experience**

The state of Colorado has mandated a level of 24,000 member months for full credibility. Per that mandate, our credibility weight methodology has been adjusted to reflect utilizing the following equation: square root(member months in experience period/24000).

To account for the presence of Colorado Humana Insurance Company experience in the credibility manual, the credibility level afore mentioned has been reduced by a factor of the expected 2014 membership relative to nationwide.

#### Paid to Allowed Ratio

The anticipated paid to allowed average factor over the projection period was developed by separately considering the anticipated paid to allowed factors by individual plan tier.

Once calculated, projected member month weights for each plan tier (consistent with those provided in Worksheet 2) were applied to these paid to allowed factors to produce an overall anticipated paid to allowed average factor of 58.5%.

The individual plan tier paid to allowed factors were developed based on an internal pricing model with underlying utilization and costs reflective of a standard population equal to that of the anticipated membership in the overall 2014 risk pool. These values were developed in accordance with generally accepted actuarial principles and methodologies.

#### Risk Adjustment and Reinsurance Projected Risk Adjustment PMPM

The 2014 Risk Adjustment Transfer Payments are determined via a model that projects all large issuers in the state. This is necessary to estimate the state average premium and other normalization factors required by the HHS transfer formula. The model uses the formulas/factors prescribed by HHS to determine the transfer payments, state average premium, GCF (Geographic Cost Factor), IDF (Induced Demand Factor), ARF (Age Rating Factor), and AV (Actuarial Value). Furthermore, the model utilizes separate risk pools for Catastrophic and Metal Plans as described in the regulations. Since limited information is available for other issuers, most assumptions were set universally across issuers.

Membership mix by plan, as shown in column A of Exhibit 1, was determined by simulating member plan choices in 2014. The simulation uses Humana Small Group membership, because it should closely approximate the risk profile of new 2014 enrollees. A member's utility for each of the plans was estimated based on the post subsidy premium and the member cost sharing (after subsidies) given their health status. The member selects the plan with highest utility (subject to Catastrophic plan eligibility rules). This approach captures the impact of adverse selection by plan. In addition, the simulation produces a Plan Liability Risk Score (column C) for each member based on the HHS Commercial Risk Adjustment Model. This risk score is used in the calculation of risk transfer payments.

Members issued prior to 2014 also have risk scores calculated and are mapped to an ACA compliant plan that is similar to their current plan. All issuers are assumed to have the same plan mix. The primary driver of issuer specific risk scores is the projected mix of underwritten and non-underwritten membership. Previously underwritten members will be healthier than the cohort of business enrolled under guaranteed issue and will push risk scores lower.

Humana expects below average membership growth in 2014 due to above average anticipated unit costs. This will translate into a larger proportion of underwritten business and lower risk scores.

The percent of underwritten membership (column B) is determined based on a sales projection model. The model assumes initial membership for each issuer based on the 2011 SHCE. New enrollees are attributed to each issuer based on assumed price competitiveness in each market and an Individual Market growth assumption.

The Colorado Individual market is assumed to grow 41.2% in 2014. For Humana Insurance Company, these sales assumptions result in above average portion of underwritten membership and therefore below average Plan Liability Risk Score.

In accordance with HHS regulations, state average premium is calculated as a membership-weighted average of issuer premiums. Premium (column H) for each issuer is calculated to be the projected Total Liability PMPM (column G) divided by the target loss ratio. Total Liability is paid claims including induced utilization (column D) less projected risk adjustment transfers (column F) and less projected reinsurance recoveries net of contributions (column E). It is necessary to include reinsurance recoveries in the calculation because this will result in substantially lower premiums in the Individual market. The approach described above is similar to the method used in the September 2011 CCIIO whitepaper on risk adjustment.

Based on the above assumptions, Risk Adjustment Transfer Payments are calculated for each risk pool using the HHS transfer formula. As a result, Humana Insurance Company expects a \$8.15 PMPM average Risk Adjustment Transfer Payment from HHS on Catastrophic plans. On metal plans Humana Insurance Company expects a \$58.89 PMPM average Risk Adjustment Transfer Payment to HHS.

These result in -3.1% and 16.3% adjustments to premiums for Catastrophic and Metal plans, respectively. In compliance with rating rules, all Metal plan premiums are adjusted uniformly by 16.3% as demonstrated in column J of Exhibit 1.

#### **Projected Reinsurance Recoveries Net of Reinsurance Premium**

Reinsurance recoveries were calculated using claims data from the simulated populations mentioned above. Humana Small Group membership was used to represent the risk of new enrollees in 2014. This is expected to be a reasonable approximation of this cohort's risk characteristics. Humana Individual membership was used to model the risk of members renewing in 2014. The recoveries in column E of Exhibit 1 are a blend of these two populations. Paid claims were calculated for each member based on their allowed claims and the plan selected in the simulation. As specified by HHS, recoveries were calculated for members with total calendar year claims exceeding the \$60,000 attachment point. The recoveries apply an 80% coinsurance rate up to a cap of \$250,000.

To ensure statistical credibility, the estimate was calculated using nationwide membership and experience. However, the Colorado specific estimate was calculated by adjusting the nationwide allowed claims for the unit cost differences in Colorado.

A portion of reinsurance recoveries are offset by the reinsurance assessment of \$5.25 PMPM. We expect recoveries net of assessments to be \$28.44 PMPM which results in a -7.9% adjustment to premium. In compliance with rating rules, all plan premiums are adjusted uniformly by -7.9% as demonstrated in column I of Exhibit 1.

Note that the Unified Rate Review template contains reinsurance recoveries net of assessments wherever reinsurance estimates are requested. This approach was selected because it allows the values in Worksheet 2a to tie back to values from Worksheet 1. The value of reinsurance recoveries can be obtained by adding \$5.25 PMPM to each estimate.

#### **Induced Utilization**

In this context, Induced Utilization refers to the utilization impact of member behavioral changes when on a plan with richer benefits. This metric does not include the impact of health status.

The induced utilization assumption of 0.1% was developed by applying adjustments to the plan specific factors provided by HHS in the Notice of Benefit and Payment Parameters.

We anticipate the effect of induced utilization to be somewhat less than the original factors suggest, so we have adjusted the factors lower. It is important to note that the assumed impact only accounts for the incremental induced utilization in excess of the induced utilization observed on an average pre-reform plan. This approach is used to avoid double-counting the impact of induced utilization.

#### **Catastrophic versus Non-Catastrophic Allowed Claims**

Federal rating rules allow issuers to adjust the index rate for the level of gross claim costs anticipated for Catastrophic plan enrollees. Column B of Exhibit 2 shows allowed claims for the simulated members on Catastrophic and Metal plans. The simulation strictly adheres to the Catastrophic plan eligibility rules and uses member utility to determine plan selections. In the simulation, members eligible for subsidies tend to select Silver plans rather than Catastrophic plans. In addition, less healthy members tend to select plans with richer benefits than the Catastrophic plan. This results in a significantly lower allowed cost for members selecting the Catastrophic plan.

The ratio of Catastrophic allowed claims to total allowed claims across all plans (column C) is used to adjust the overall index rate for Catastrophic plans. This is a -4.3% adjustment to the index rate.

Similarly, the ratio of Metal Plan allowed claims to total allowed claims is applied to adjust index rate used for Metal Plans and results in a 0.0% adjustment. This small adjustment for Metal plans is necessary to ensure the overall index rate for the single risk pool remains unchanged.

#### Non-Benefit Expenses and Profit Risk

Expenses are based on our internal forecast for 2014. Expenses are estimated based off of current costs, projected volume changes and estimated changes in department workload. These expenses are simply loaded as a flat percentage of premium at this point in time and do not vary by product or plan.

#### 16.8% Administrative Expense Load

- Broker & Sales Commissions: Compensation expenses associated with business issued through an agent or agency
- •Quality Expenses: Expenses associated with quality that are allowed adjustments under the Medical Loss Ratio standards
- •Clinical & Network Operations: non-quality clinical costs, provider contracting, and network maintenance & development
- •IT Expenses: costs associated with maintenance and development of systems
- Customer Service & Account Installation: call center, customer service, and account management
- Corporate Administration: shared functions that are not exclusive to individual major medical, including corporate finance, legal, human resources, etc.
- •Individual Administration: functional areas & personnel that solely work on individual major medical
- Direct Response, Marketing, & Agency Management: direct to consumer marketing expenses, other marketing expenses and agency management expenses

#### 2.4% Profit (or Contribution to Surplus) & Risk Margin

• Profit margin is shown on a post-income tax basis and does not include investment income. The margin shown does not vary by product or plan.

#### 5.8% Taxes and Fees

- 2.3% •State Premium Tax: state premium tax; charged on a percentage of premium
- 1.4% •Health Insurer Annual Fee: assessment created in 2014 by PPACA. Estimated at 1.4% of premium. Not income tax deductible.
- 0.0% •Exchange Fee: charged on a percentage of premium basis to fund the exchange
- 0.1% •Other Misc Taxes: includes state licensing fees & the Federal Comparative Effectiveness Tax
- 2.1% •Income Tax: Federal income tax. Estimated as 36% times the sum of pretax profit margin and the non-deductible Health Insurer Annual Fee

#### **Projected Loss Ratio**

The projected loss ratio using the Federally prescribed MLR methodology is at least 80%.

#### Demonstration:

(2014 Claims/2014 Premium) + (Quality Expenses as a % of Premium))/(1 - Taxes and Fees as a % of Premium)((8,151,709 / 10,870,395) + 1.2%)/(1 - 5.8%) = 80.9%

#### **Index Rate**

The index rate for the experience period is simply the allowed claims per member per month in 2012 for all non-grandfathered plans. An adjustment is made to remove the impact of non-EHB state mandated benefits from the experience period allowed claims (see below for details); it is implicitly assumed that all other allowed claims for 2012 were for essential health benefits.

The index rate for the projection period is the credibility manual weighted allowed claims per member month multiplied by the proportion of allowed claims associated with essential health benefits, thereby excluding state mandated covered benefits and other covered benefits in excess of essential health benefits.

State mandated covered benefits that are included in allowed claims but excluded from the index rate include home health care services and physical, occupational, and speech therapy for congenital defects.

Covered benefits in excess of essential health benefits and state mandates that are included in allowed claims but excluded from the index rate include chiropractic care, organ transplants, and routine footcare.

The following market-wide adjustments are applied to the projected index rate as the first step in determining plan level "index" rates:

- 1) Adjustments for the net impacts of both risk adjustment and reinsurance. See "Risk Adjustment and Reinsurance" earlier section for more details of this market-wide adjustment.
- 2) An adjustment for the anticipated cost of exchange user fees.

The user fee cost of 1.4% of premiums has been applied to the estimated percentage of 2014 premiums from membership enrolled on the exchange.

It is included in the development of the overall index rate adjustment for this legal entity in this state.

- 3) Expense estimates (excluding exchange user fees) were based on our internal forecast for 2014. They were estimated based on current costs, modified to accommodate projected volume changes and changes in department workload. These are presented as a flat percentage of premium at this point in time and do not vary by product or plan, and thus are essentially another market-wide adjustment applied to the projected index rate.
- 4) An adjustment for the addition of non-EHB benefits (additional benefits we provide at our own discretion, as well as any state mandated benefits not reflected in the benchmark plan typically individual market only mandates). It is assumed that the addition of such benefits increases costs to all plans uniformly, hence it is essentially handled as a market-wide adjustment.

Then the following plan-specific adjustments are applied to determine plan level "index" rates:

5) The individual plan tier pricing actuarial values (AVs) were developed based on an internal pricing model with underlying utilization and costs reflective of a standard population equal to that of the anticipated membership in the overall 2014 risk pool. The data used to produce the HumanaOne pricing AVs was based on a standard population of commercially insured membership purchased from a third party vendor. In order to provide the level of detail necessary for the analysis, internal data was used to subdivide the claims experience but the overall utilization level was calibrated to a standard population derived from a multitude of commercial insurers across a broad geographic area. Using this data, a seriatim (member-by-member) model was developed with the standard population data and projected 2014 annual claims by benefit category. Then, the 2014 plan design parameters were applied to those allowed claims to produce paid claims and pricing AV's. These values were developed in accordance with generally accepted actuarial principles and methodologies.

The resulting plan-specific AV relativity to the overall AV across all plans is applied to the index rate to account for the plan-specific differences in AV and cost sharing.

6) The development of the index rate includes the anticipated average unit costs derived from the provider networks that will be available on this legal entity in this state. These average unit costs are the result of charge levels, network discounts, delivery system characteristics and utilization management practices across the entire state, for this legal entity.

As permitted, an adjustment is made to each plan rate to account for the specific cost differences from each provider network, in each allowed rating area, compared to the overall average across all plans.

Finally, with respect to Catastrophic plans, the following adjustments are made:

- 7) The ratio of Catastrophic allowed claims to total allowed claims across all plans is used to adjust the overall index rate for Catastrophic plans (reference the previous section on Catastrophic plans for more detail).
- 8) Similarly, the ratio of Metal Plan allowed claims to total allowed claims is applied to adjust the index rate used for Metal Plans to ensure the overall index rate for the single risk pool remains unchanged (again, please reference the previous section on Catastrophic plans for more detail).

#### **AV Metal Values**

The AV Metal Values indicated in Worksheet 2 of the Part 1 Unified Rate Review Template were determined using the AV Calculator for all new plans.

For existing, non-grandfatherd plans an acceptable alternative methodology was used to generate the AV Metal value.

An actuarial certification has been provided and indicates that values were developed in accordance with generally accepted actuarial principles and methodologies.

There are two benefit attributes for existing, non-grandfathered (non-GF) plans that the AV calculator does not accommodate: the presence of an emergency room access fee and the inside member maximum out-of-pocket on medical coinsurance and medical copays.

Further explanation for the alternative methodology can be found in the attached actuarial certification.

#### **AV Pricing Values**

The fixed reference plan used as the basis for the AV Pricing Values in Worksheet 2 is: Humana Preferred Silver 4250/6250 Plan wih Dental for Kids .

#### **Membership Projections**

In determining anticipated membership, two internally developed models are used. The first projects overall membership volume based on anticipated market growth, in-force persistency, and relative competitiveness. The second functions independently and produces specific plan tier mixes based on consumer selection behaviors. These two elements are combined to produce the projected membership volumes by plan tier found in Worksheet 2 of the Unified Rate Review Template. Each is described in further detail in Parts I & II, below.

#### Part I

In projecting overall membership volume across the state, we start with today's estimated total statewide market size and market shares by carrier (based on 2011 SHCE). Along with Humana, the model considers three other "carriers" in the state, two of which are based on the major carriers in the market today and a third which represents the balance of the market. Assumed competitive price relativities are then used to derive a percentage share of 2014 sales by carrier. We believe using these price relativities as the primary determinant of sales share in our modeling to be appropriate, due to increased sensitivity to price in the 2014 marketplace.

Due to the changes occurring in 2014 (guaranteed issue requirements, individual mandate, etc.), the model also makes assumptions for the growth and disruption that will transpire.

We assume the individual market in this state will grow by a factor of 1.70 relative to current market size and that 15.0% of in-force membership will lapse to seek coverage under the new market rules.

These assumptions were set globally across all modeled carriers in the state, given the limited carrier-specific information available at this time.

Together, these market size growth and lapse assumptions create an initial 2014 membership base on which the previously developed sales shares by carrier are applied to create membership sales volume estimates. All sales are assumed to occur on January 1, 2014, thus creating 12 months of exposure for each sold member.

The resulting total exposure created by these sales for Humana is projected to be 30,218 member months (a) on the Humana Insurance Company legal entity.

#### Part II

For the purposes of further projecting this membership by individual plan tier, a simulation was developed to model consumer behavior with regard to risk aversion, utility, and affordability. In particular, it considers eligibility for the various premium and cost sharing reduction subsidies by applying a single assumed nationwide income distribution (as a percent of FPL). Internal nationwide small business claims and membership data was used in developing the simulated population, since we believe this experience base provides the best available approximation of the anticipated 2014 risk pool. In general, the simulation assumes that members eligible for cost sharing reductions, based on their income relative to the federal poverty level, are expected to significantly tend toward choosing the applicable silver variant plan, due to its relative value proposition. This tendency becomes less pronounced as the percent of FPL increases.

Member month projections by plan tier (including the CSR silver plan variants) are produced by combining the results of Parts I & II with the developed information detailed above. The results are summarized below:

	Projected Member	
Plan Tier	Months	Percent of Total
Catastrophic	1097	4%
Bronze	16524	55%
Silver	12598	42%
Gold	0	0%
Platinum	0	0%
Total	30218	100%

CSR Variant	Projected Member Months	Percent of Total
70%	12598	42%
73%	0	0%
87%	0	0%
94%	0	0%
Silver Total	12598	42%

We expect the distribution of our business to shift within the state in direct response to the changes in provider and network deals, and therefore anticipated competitive position, by market. Sales in 2014 will concentrate in areas where there have been the most pronounced improvements; in the absence of such improvements, the geographic distribution across the state is expected to remain relatively constant from the current to the projection period. This is accounted for in the modeling methodology described above.

#### **Effective Rate Review Information**

#### **URR Approach**

This section describes how the URR template values were populated in instances where the instructions were unclear or the template's functionality was unable to accommodate the appropriate values.

- Rate change % over prior filing (row 25) was populated with the change between rates effective 1/1/2014 and rates effective 12/31/2013. The previous rate filing contained rates that were effective through the end of 2013. Therefore, the 2014 rate is compared to the last rate in effect on 12/31/2013.
- Cumulative Rate Change % over 12 months prior (row 26) was populated with the change between rates effective 1/1/2014 and rates effective 1/2/2013. This captures the change in the rates over precisely one year.
- Projection Period Rate Change % over Experience Period (row 27) is a calculated formulaically by the template. However, it is important to note that this measure can be subject to significant variability. In our 2014 projection we assume a constant distribution of membership by age and geography. The rates for each plan were developed using the same distribution and is reflected in the average premiums (row 80). However, in row 27 this is compared to earned premiums from the experience period. The experience period will have a significantly different distribution of membership by age and geography than in the projection. As a result, row 27 will reflect changes in mix as well as changes in rates. This results in significant volatility for plans with limited membership during the experience period.
- Section IV of Worksheet 2 contains several inconsistencies between the calculated rows and the warning checks. These inconsistencies are primarily due to the definition of Total Allowed Claims (row 86). The warning check and the template instructions both indicate that the impact of reinsurance and risk adjustment should be included in Total Allowed Claims. However, formulas that refer to row 86 use it as if the impact of reinsurance and risk adjustment were not included. This results in double counting and inappropriate application of these items in rows 93, 98 and 99. Our approach was to follow the template instructions when populating row 86 and then explain the warnings that get generated in the subsequent rows. Explanations for the warnings can be found later in the memorandum.
- The net impact of risk adjustment (row 96) does not accept negative values if entered manually. However, we have found that populating this row via copy/paste will validate successfully. Therefore we have populated the template using this technique when necessary.

#### Terminated Plans

Included in the terminated products column on Worksheet 2 are: HumanaOne PHP Evolutionary and HumanaOne PHP Refresh plans.

#### Plan Type

There are no perceived differences between the issuer's plan and the plan type selected.

#### **Warning Alerts**

#### Worksheet 2, Row 82:

A warning has been generated in row 82. The values in this row are based on the sum each plan's projected premium based on the plan's projected membership and average rate pmpm. The warning in row 80 allows for a 2% tolerance level when comparing to the value depicted on Worksheet 1, but the Worksheet 2 tolerance level requires equivalence. This slight variation makes a perfectly equivalent premium match highly unlikely. The worksheet 2 results are within a tolerable range of the worksheet 1 value.

#### Worksheet 2, Rows 83-85:

A false error is populating for rows 83-85 in all columns suggesting the three values do not add to 100%. This is incorrect; based on the formula in row 85, it is impossible for this to be true. Values have been appropriately populated.

#### Worksheet 2, Rows 93, 98, 99:

Warnings have been generated in rows 93, 98, and 99 for the same reason. The values in these rows are all based on the values in Total Allowed Claims (row 86) and per the template instructions this includes the impact of reinsurance and risk adjustment. This is inconsistent with how this value is used by template formulas and comparisons to values on Worksheet 1. Rows 93 and 98 are calculated based on row 90 which includes the impact of reinsurance and risk adjustment. Row 90 is subtracted from row 86 causing the impact of reinsurance and risk adjustment to be double counted. Warnings are generated when these numbers are compared to values from Worksheet 1 that include these impacts properly. In addition, Row 99 is calculated based on row 86 (which includes reinsurance and risk adjustment), but validated using a value from Worksheet 1 that does not include reinsurance and risk adjustment.

#### Reliance

I, Stephen Arnhold, relied on information and underlying assumptions provided by internally developed pricing and modeling as well as third party consultant data in the establishment of these rates.

#### **Actuarial Certification**

I, Stephen Arnhold, am an Actuarial Director for Humana. I am a member of the American Academy of Actuaries and I meet the Qualification Standards of the American Academy of Actuaries to render the actuarial opinion contained herein.

I certify, to the best of my knowledge, that the projected index rate is in compliance with all applicable State and Federal Statutes and Regulations (45 CFR 156.80(d)(1)), developed in compliance with the applicable Actuarial Standards of Practice, reasonable in relation to the benefits provided and the population anticipated to be covered, and neither excessive nor deficient.

I certify, to the best of my knowledge, that the index rate and only the allowable modifiers as described in 45 CFR 156.80(d)(1) and 45 CFR 156.80(d)(2) were used to generate plan level rates.

I certify, to the best of my knowledge, that that the percent of total premium that represents essential health benefits included in Worksheet 2, Sections III and IV were calculated in accordance with Actuarial Standards of Practice.

I certify, to the best of my knowledge, that that the AV Calculator was used to determine the AV Metal Values shown in Worksheet 2 of the Part I Unified Rate Review Template for all plans.

This opinion is qualified, in that the Part I Unified Rate Review Template does not demonstrate the process used by the issuer to develop the rates. Rather, it represents information required by Federal regulation to be provided in support of the review of rate increases, for certification of qualified health plans for Federally facilitated exchanges and for certification that the index rate is developed in accordance with Federal regulation and used consistently and only adjusted by the allowable modifiers.

Actuary signature:

Actuary Printed Name: Stephen Arnhold, FSA, MAAA

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**Date:** May 29, 2013

# Colorado Humana Insurance Company Exhibit 1

### **Pricing Impacts of Risk Adjustment and Reinsurance**

Values are projected based on current membership and simulated 2014 enrollees

	Α	В	С	D	E	F	<b>G</b> = D - E - F	<b>H</b> = G / Tgt LR*	I = - E / H	<b>J</b> = - F / H
	% of Members	% Underwritten	Plan Liability Risk Score	Paid Claims PMPM	Net Reinsurance PMPM	Risk Adjustment Transfer Payment PMPM	Total Liability PMPM	Premium PMPM	Reinsurance % of Premium	Risk Adjustment % of Premium
Catastrophic	2%	18%	0.575	225.55	20.73	8.15	196.67	262.23	-7.9%	-3.1%
Metal Plans	98%	79%	0.660	241.39	28.64	(58.89)	271.64	362.18	-7.9%	16.3%
Bronze	57%	82%	0.552	227.61	27.00	(55.53)	256.13	341.51	-7.9%	16.3%
Silver	38%	73%	0.810	258.12	30.62	(62.97)	290.47	387.29	-7.9%	16.3%
Gold	2%	100%	0.760	294.41	34.93	(71.82)	331.30	441.74	-7.9%	16.3%
Platinum	0%	100%	1.210	331.93	39.38	(80.98)	373.53	498.04	-7.9%	16.3%
			•		•	•		•		
HIC Total	1%	77%	0.658	241.16	28.44	(57.02)	269.75	359.67	-7.9%	15.9%
Other Issuers	99%	42%	0.850			0.56		278.88		
CO Total	100%	42%	0.848			0.00		279.66		

<sup>\*</sup>Target Loss Ratio: 1 - administrative load - profit/risk load - taxes/fee load. Loads provided in Worksheet 1.

We were able to revise our projected sales and membership to reflect this guidance, which is why there is a slight inconsistency in the membership weights shown above and in the "Membership Projection" section of the accompanying memorandum.

<sup>\*</sup>Special Note: The above exhibit reflects the final pricing used in developing the rates proposed in this submission. Late-breaking guidance was given to discontinue existing products in this legal entity, and due to time constraints we were not able to incorporate said guidance into the final pricing; however, we do not believe this to result in a material change to the final rates as submitted.

# Colorado Humana Insurance Company Exhibit 2

## Catastrophic/Non-Catastrophic Index Rate Adjustment

	Α	В	С	
	% of Members	Allowed Claims PMPM	Index Rate Adjustment	
Humana - HIC	1%	411.86	1.000	
Catastrophic	2%	394.31	0.957	= 394.31 / 411.86
Metal Plans	98%	412.01	1.000	= 412.01 / 411.86
Bronze	57%	412.01	1.000	= 412.01 / 411.86
Silver	38%	412.01	1.000	= 412.01 / 411.86
Gold	2%	412.01	1.000	= 412.01 / 411.86
Platinum	0%	412.01	1.000	= 412.01 / 411.86

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# STATE OF COLORADO HUMANA INSURANCE COMPANY ACTUARIAL MEMORANDUM POLICY FORM SERIES CO-71130 & CO-71130-POS

#### A. Summary

#### 1. Purpose

We respectfully submit for your consideration the enclosed premium rates for use with the above captioned policy series. This actuarial memorandum was created and formatted pursuant to Colorado Regulation 4-2-11, Section 6.

This filing has been prepared for the purpose of certifying that the anticipated loss ratio of this product meets the minimum requirement of this state, assuring that rates are reasonable in relation to the benefits provided, as well as demonstrating rates are not excessive, inadequate, or unfairly discriminatory. It is not intended to be used for any other purpose.

#### 2. Requested Rate Action

This is a new product; therefore there is no requested rate action.

#### 3. Marketing Methods

The policies will be marketed by general agents, brokers, wholesale arrangements, and by Humana employees through various campaigns geared directly to consumers. All plans contained in this filing will be offered exclusively off exchange.

Previously approved form series on the Humana Insurance Company entity, CO-71037-POS, GN-71037-01, & GN-70129, will be discontinued beginning 1/1/2014. Members will receive necessary notification and the opportunity to purchase any of the plans included in this filing.

#### 4. Premium Classifications

Premium rates vary by combination of age (as of issue for new business and attained age for renewals), tobacco usage, geographic area, and family composition. These associated factors can be found in the attached rate manual.

#### 5. Product Description

This is an Individual Major Medical plan sold to individuals and families. The rates under the policy form series, CO-71130, support a Preferred Provider Organization plan provided through a PPO contract with Humana Insurance Company.

The rates under the policy form series, CO-71130-POS, support a Point-of-Service plan provided through a dual entity POS contract with Humana Health Plan, Inc. and Humana Insurance Company. The dual entity POS contract communicates both network and non-network benefits to a member in a single policy. The member has open access to network HMO providers as referrals are not required. The network supporting this product is a combination of both HMO and PPO network providers, affording members with access to a larger provider network.

The plans under policy series CO-71120-POS include our embedded Wellness & Rewards Program, HumanaVitality. The premium impact of this embedded benefit is 1%, approximately \$2.40 PMPM. Pursuant to § 10-16-136(3.7), C.R.S., Humana received national accreditation from the National Committee of Quality Assurance on September 11, 2012 (attached certification and letter under Supporting Documents Tab).

Furthermore, please see the Supporting Documents Tab for documentation demonstrating that the wellness program is scientifically proven to improve health (Regulation 4-2-11 7.B).

All non-grandfathered plans must cover the essential health benefits package in 2014. The specifics of the essential health benefits are contained within the benchmark plan selected in each state. There are 3 high level categories of benefits that are considered from a pricing perspective for the individual market: (1) maternity, (2) behavioral services and (3) other state-specific services. For the pricing impact of these 3 benefits, please see section J below.

The following PPACA benefits have been implemented in all of our non-grandfathered business,

- Eliminate Annual Dollar Limits on Essential Benefits, Section 2711 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of the PPACA
- Eliminate Lifetime Dollar Limits on Essential Benefits, Section 2711 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of the PPACA
- Eliminate Pre-existing Condition Exclusions for Enrollees Under Age 19, Section 2711 of the PHSA/Section 1201 of the PPACA
- Prohibit Rescissions, Section 2712 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of PPACA
- Preventive Services, Section 2713 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of the PPACA
- Extends Dependent Coverage for Children Until age 26, Section 2714 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of the PPACA
- Appeals Process, Section 2719 of the PHSA/Section 1001 of the PPACA
- Emergency Services, Section 2719A of the PHSA/Section 10101 of the PPACA
- Access to Pediatricians, Section 2719A of the PHSA/Section 10101 of the PPACA
- Access to OB/GYNs, Section 2719A of the PHSA/Section 10101 of the PPACA

A summary of key benefits can be found in the rate manual, along with the rating factors associated with the plans; the policy form should be consulted for specific benefit provisions.

#### 6. Age Basis

Premiums will be calculated using age at issue for new business and attained age for renewing business.

#### **B.** Assumption or Acquisition

All plan designs have been developed internally and are not part of an assumption or acquisition.

#### C. Rating Period

The effective date of the rating period is January 1, 2014 for all plan designs. Rates are effective until 1/1/2015, at which point members issued during 2014 will have their rate potentially modified.

#### D. Underwriting

All membership is intended to be issued without underwriting.

#### E. Effect of Law Changes

This rate filing was prepared to support the law changes mandated as a result of the Affordable Care Act. A detailed description of the impacts can be found in section J.

#### F. Rate History

CO-71130 and CO-71130-POS are new policy form series, therefore no rate history can be provided.

#### G. Coordination of Benefits

Coordination of benefits data is included in the loss ratio calculation.

#### H. Relation of Benefits to Premium

Below is a summary of the retention estimate used for pricing this product. Note that investment income is not included, as it is not expected to be a material contribution to the profitability of this product.

Expense Category	% of Premium
Broker & Sales Commissions	4.4%
Quality Expenses	1.2%
Clinical & Network Operations	1.9%
IT Expenses	1.0%
Customer Service & Account Installation	1.6%
Corporate Administration	2.4%
Individual Products Administration	2.7%
Direct Response, Marketing, & Agency Management	1.6%
State Premium Tax	2.3%
Health Insurer Annual Fee	1.4%
Exchange Fee	0.0%
Other Misc Taxes & Assessments	0.1%
Income Tax	2.1%
Total Administrative Expense	22.6%
Loss Ratio	75.00%
Post-Tax Risk Margin/Profit	2.40%

#### I. Provision for Profit and Contingencies

The provision for profit and contingencies is 2.4% post-FIT. Because we do not anticipate holding policy reserves on this business, investment income only is obtained by returns on unearned premium reserves and reserves for incurred but not reported claims. We do not know the timing of when we will receive the advanced premium tax credits from the federal government. We anticipate that the unearned premium reserve may be offset by payment delays from the federal government. Therefore, we expect investment income to be a negligible source of revenue for this product line.

#### J. Complete Explanation as to How the Proposed Rates were Determined

The original premiums for this policy form series were developed using experience from existing policy forms by adjusting for benefit differences, expense differences and any other rating differences. Premium rates were developed so that the ratio of claims to premium would produce a reasonable lifetime loss ratio, not less than any minimum required in this state.

The form series, CO-71037 was used as the basis for the pricing for 2014. This represents the current new business product available for purchase throughout the state. The overall rates were adjusted for additional essential health benefits, trend between the 10/1/2013 premium basis and 1/1/2014, guaranteed issue, expected network improvements, differences in allowed rating factors, 10/1/2013 pricing adequacy, marginal taxes & fees, and the expected net impact of reinsurance and risk adjustment.

Details are as follows:

- Essential Health Benefits
  - Maternity

- Estimated at 0.0% impact. This benefit is already covered in our individual plans today.
- Behavioral Services
  - Estimated at 0.6% impact. This estimate was produced using small group allowed claims as a percentage of overall claims and adjusting the incidence rate for the expected FPL mix.
- Other Misc
  - Other essential health benefit impacts estimated at 0.6%.
- Trend
  - o 2.5% impact to go from the midpoint of the 10/1/2013 rating period to 1/1/2014. Please see the attached exhibit.
- Guaranteed Issue
  - Estimated 18.0% impact. Based on comparison of our own small group claims from the 2-50 market, consultant estimates, and an estimate of the total market mix between previously underwritten individuals and newly issued.
- Allowed Rating Factor Differences
  - o Estimated 4.0% impact for the removal of durational rating.
  - Estimated 8.3% impact for the removal of underwriting rate ups.
  - o Estimated 0.7% impact for capping the number of dependents at 3
- Current Pricing Adequacy Adjustment
  - Estimated -4.7% impact for adequacy of current rates. Developed using projected 2013 loss ratio compared to target loss ratio, adjusted for rate actions through the year to determine 10/1/2013 adequacy.
- Marginal Taxes & Fees
  - o New federal health insurer annual fee is estimated at 2.1% of premium (this includes the gross up for this fee not being tax deductible).
- Net Impact of Reinsurance and Risk Adjustment
  - Total adjustment for reinsurance payment & risk adjustment payment is estimated at 11.9%

#### K. Trend

The cost trend captures pure unit cost changes from midpoint 2012 to midpoint 2014, calculated using the same basket of services each period, due to price/contract negotiations and provider distribution changes.

Inpatient Hospital, Outpatient Hospital, Professional, Capitation and Other Medical cost trends are developed based on historical area specific cost trends from Humana's Individual Commercial block of business data. Future cost trends are developed based on expected changes in Humana's Commercial contracts.

Pharmacy cost trends are developed based on historical brand, generic, and specialty drug trends from Humana's Commercial data. Future cost trends are developed based on expected changes in these pharmacy contracts. These contractual impacts will be applicable to all members regardless of risk class.

#### Utilization trend:

Using Humana's Trend Quantification and Projection model, a baseline utilization trend is developed using Humana's Individual Commercial block of business historical medical claims data from 2008 - 2012. The historical baseline utilization trend is developed by removing all known impacts to utilization net trend such as demographics, geography, duration, customer changes, benefit changes, new health technologies, utilization management initiatives, and changes in pertinent days. An economic regression model, based on consumer sentiment, personal disposable income, hospital construction, and high-tech medical equipment spend, is then fit to this historical baseline utilization data to project the future block of business baseline utilization trend for 2013 and 2014.

A midpoint to midpoint methodology is applied to determine the applicable baseline utilization trend, which incorporates 2012q3 and 2012q4 actual results at the state and legal entity level with the block of business baseline utilization trend for 2013 and 2014. This results in baseline utilization trends that vary at the state and legal entity level.

Other components are added to the baseline utilization trend to develop the total utilization trend provided. These include the following:

- Pertinent days Captures changes in the calendar, recognizing that health care utilization varies by day of the week and reporting periods contain varying weekday mix and count. This impact is developed through the use of an external consultant's model which is uploaded with Humana's Commercial claims data.
- New Health Technologies Captures the impact of new health technologies and procedures. An external consulting firm researches new technologies and develops per member per month impacts. These impacts are customized to Humana's Commercial business based on membership and coverage policy.
- Management Initiatives Captures savings for Humana initiatives designed to bend trend by managing utilization, such as case management, disease management, and nurse programs. These initiatives are evaluated by an internal actuarial organization tasked with evaluating the effectiveness of the initiatives. Evaluations are done through a collaborative effort involving clinical and other operational areas. Projected savings are calculated by determining prospective changes to impacted metric values, which are determined by analyzing historical metric values as well as through discussions with clinical and operational areas. Savings are reviewed with leadership to ensure appropriateness of assumptions."

This describes the development of the core utilization trend. All impacts from healthcare reform have been removed and are included in the "Population Risk/Morbidity" and "Other" adjustments from Worksheet 1 to prevent double counting of any impacts.

For additional trend detail, please see the attached trend exhibits.

#### L. Credibility

To credibility adjust this block of business, a credibility manual consisting of slight modifications to 2014 market projections was utilized. Source data utilized for the credibility manual calculation includes Colorado Humana Insurance Company utilization per 1000 that mirrors the 2014 projected experience, adjusting to reflect the overall credibility of the block of business that we apply in pricing to ensure adequacy of rates.

The average cost per service is driven by the Colorado Humana Insurance Company 2014 projected experience in order to maintain representation of the provider contracts and distribution mix represented in the allowed claim derivation, also adjusted to reflect the credibility of the block of business to ensure pricing adequacy.

The state of Colorado has mandated a level of 24,000 member months for full credibility. Per that mandate, our credibility weight methodology has been adjusted to reflect utilizing the following equation: square root(member months in experience period/24000). To account for the presence of Colorado Humana Insurance Company experience in the credibility manual, the credibility level afore mentioned has been reduced by a factor of the expected 2014 membership relative to nationwide.

We do not expect to have services in the projection period provided under a capitation arrangement.

#### M. Data Requirements

Please see the attached past and future projection exhibits, Exhibit A.

#### N. Side-by-Side Comparison

The proposed rates on policy form series CO-71130 & CO-71130-POS are new. Therefore, there are no comparisons between current rates and proposed rates.

#### O. Benefits Ratio Projections

Benefit projection ratio is projected to be 75%. This includes the effects of reinsurance and risk adjustment. Please see projection exhibit for details. For your reference, Actuarial Justification has been provided via attachment, 2014 CO HIC Justification of Benefit Ratio.

#### P. Other Factors

See attached rate manual.

#### Q. Actuarial Certification

I, Stephen Arnhold, am an Actuarial Director for Humana. I am a member of the American Academy of Actuaries and I meet the Qualification Standards of the American Academy of Actuaries to render the actuarial opinion contained herein.

I certify that this rate filing adheres to the laws of this state, to the best of my knowledge. I further certify that the assumptions used to develop rates are reasonable, that they have been set with an understanding of the business plan for this form series, and that they produce rates that are not excessive, inadequate or unfairly discriminatory.

Stephen Arnhold, FSA, MAAA

Actuarial Director, Individual Product Segment

June 5, 2013

### Supporting Exhibit: Rate Review Detail (SERFF Requirement)

The purpose of this document is to explain the assumptions used when calculating fields for the rate review detail window in SERFF.

#### **Requested Rate Change Information**

Percent Rate Change Requested:

Change Period: Annual
Member Months<sup>(1)</sup>: 0
Benefit Change: Increase

Min<sup>(2)</sup> Max<sup>(2)</sup> Weighted Avg<sup>(2)</sup> 0.0% 0.0%

#### **Prior Rate**

Total Earned Premium<sup>(3)</sup>: \$0
Total Incurred Claims<sup>(3)</sup>: \$0

Annual \$:  $\frac{\text{Min}^{(4)}}{0} \qquad \frac{\text{Max}^{(5)}}{0} \qquad \frac{\text{Weighted Avg}^{(6)}}{0}$ 

#### **Requested Rate**

Projected Earned Premium<sup>(7)</sup>: \$10,305,208 Projected Incurred Claims<sup>(7)</sup>: \$7,727,875

Min<sup>(8)</sup> Max<sup>(9)</sup> Weighted Avg<sup>(10)</sup>
Annual \$: 139 1,248 360

#### Notes

- (1) Not applicable; this is the initial filing.
- (2) Not applicable, this is the initial filing.
- (3) Not applicable, this is the initial filing.
- (4) Not applicable, this is the initial filing.
- (5) Not applicable, this is the initial filing.
- (6) Not applicable, this is the initial filing.
- (7) Projected over calendar year 2014, including policy reserves.
- (8) The Minimum Annual \$ is the lowest possible monthly rate per member for standard benefits effective January 1, 2014.
- (9) The Maximum Annual \$ is the highest possible monthly rate per member for standard benefits effective January 1, 2014.
- (10) The Weighted Average Annual \$ is the pmpm projected premium on a January 1, 2014 basis.

## CO-HIC January 1, 2014 Rate Filing

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# **Average Premium**

\$359.67

## **Plan Designs & Factors**

							Off-Exchange
Plan Name	Plan Suite	Plan Tier	Deductible	Coinsurance	Max OOP	Rx Deductible	(includes Ped. Dental)
Humana Preferred Basic 6350/6350 Plan	Suite C - Rx4	Catastrophic	\$6,350	100%	\$6,350	Integrated	0.7341
Humana Preferred Bronze 4900/6350 Plan	Suite C - Rx4	Bronze	\$4,900	80%	\$6,350	\$1,500	1.0260
Humana Preferred Silver 4250/6250 Plan	Suite C - Rx4	Silver	\$4,250	80%	\$6,250	\$1,500	1.0730
Humana Preferred Bronze 6300/6300 Plan	Suite C - Rx4	Bronze	\$6,300	100%	\$6,300	Integrated	0.9120
Humana Preferred Silver 3650/3650 Plan	Suite C - Rx4	Silver	\$3,650	100%	\$3,650	Integrated	1.0545

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	Average Factor	1.0000

# **Age Factors**

Age of Member	Factor
Fourth+ Dependents	0.0000
0-20	0.5372
21	0.8461
22	0.8461
23	0.8461
24	0.8461
25	0.8494
26	0.8664
27	0.8867
28	0.9197
29	0.9467
30	0.9603
31	0.9806
32	1.0009
33	1.0136
34	1.0271
35	1.0339
36	1.0406
37	1.0474
38	1.0542
39	1.0677
40	1.0813
41	1.1016
42	1.1210
43	1.1481
44	1.1819
45	1.2217
46	1.2691
47	1.3224
48	1.3833
49	1.4434
50	1.5111
51	1.5779
52	1.6515
53	1.7260
54	1.8063
55	1.8867
56	1.9738
57	2.0618
58	2.1558
59	2.2023
60	2.2962
61	2.3774
62	2.4307
63	2.4976
64+	2.5382

Demonstration of Compliance
Factor compared to age 21
0.000
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1.000
1.004
1.024
1.048
1.087
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1.159
1.183
1.198
1.214
1.222
1.230
1.238
1.246
1.262
1.278
1.302
1.325
1.357
1.397
1.444
1.500
1.563
1.635
1.706
1.786
1.865
1.952
2.040
2.135
2.230
2.333
2.437
2.548
2.603
2.714
2.810
2.873
2.952
3.000

Average Factor	1.0000
Average Factor	1.0000

## **Tobacco Use Factors**

The following factors will be applied based on the member's tobacco usage, as determined by the tobacco usage guidelines.

Age of Member	Non-Tobacco User	Tobacco User
0-20	0.9941	0.9941
21	0.9941	1.0935
22	0.9941	1.0935
23	0.9941	1.0935
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25	0.9941	1.0935
26	0.9941	1.0935
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31	0.9941	1.0935
32	0.9941	1.0935
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36	0.9941	1.0935
37	0.9941	1.0935
38	0.9941	1.0935
39	0.9941	1.0935
40	0.9941	1.0935
41	0.9941	1.0935
42	0.9941	1.0935
43	0.9941	1.0935
44	0.9941	1.0935
45	0.9941	1.0935
46	0.9941	1.0935
47	0.9941	1.0935
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Demonstration of Compliance
Factor compared to Non-Tobacco User
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Average Factor 1.0000

# **Geographic Network Factors**

The following factors will be applied according to the policyholder's place of residence.

		Network
Rating Area	Reference Market Name	PPO
1	Boulder	-
2	Colorado Springs	-
3	Denver	-
4	Fort Collins-Loveland	0.9870
5	Grand Junction	1.0490
6	Greeley	0.9923
7	Pueblo	1.1235
8	Other CO-East South	1.1238
9	Other CO-East North	1.0968
10	Other CO-West	1.1651
11	Other CO-Resort	1.0802

Average Factor	1.0000

# **Plan Distribution**

	New Business		Renewal Only
	On-Exchange	Off-Exchange	Off-Exchange
	Network	Network	Network
Plan Suite	PPO	PPO	PPO
Suite A			
Suite C - Rx4		Χ	
Refresh			
PHP			

# **Definition of Service Areas**

Service areas are defined by groups of counties.

For reference only. For complete plan availability, see the Service Area template.

		Network
Rating Area	Reference Market Name	PPO
1	Boulder	n/a
2	Colorado Springs	n/a
3	Denver	n/a
4	Fort Collins-Loveland	Larimer
5	Grand Junction	Mesa
6	Greeley	Weld
7	Pueblo	Pueblo
8	Other CO-East South	Alamosa, Baca, Bent, Chaffee, Cheyenne, Conejos, Costilla, Crowley, Custer, Fremont, Huerfano, Kiowa, Kit Carson, Las Animas, Lincoln, Otero, Prowers, Rio Grande, Saguache
9	Other CO-East North	Logan, Morgan, Phillips, Sedgwick, Washington, Yuma
10	Other CO-West	Archuleta, Delta, Dolores, Grand, Gunnison, Hinsdale, Jackson, La Plata, Lake, Mineral, Moffat, Montezuma, Montrose, Ouray, Rio Blanco, Routt, San Juan, San Miguel
11	Other CO-Resort	Eagle, Garfield, Pitkin, Summit

## **Modal Factors**

The following factors will be applied according to the payment mode selected. These factors will be applied at the end of the rate calculation.

Payment Frequency	Factor
Monthly	1.0000
Quarterly	3.0000
Semi-Annual	6.0000

An administrative fee of \$5 will be charged for each paper bill generated and each recurring credit card transaction. The fee is waived for electronic funds transmission (EFT). A \$25 fee is charged for checks returned with, or Electronic Fund Transactions resulting in, insufficient funds. A \$25 fee is charged for late payment and a \$25 fee is charged to reinstate a lapsed policy.

## **Algorithm Details**

Step through this algorithm for each member.

	Average Premium
Х	Plan Factor
Х	Age Factor
Х	Tobacco Use Factor
Х	Geographic Network Factor
=	Subtotal (rounded to nearest penny)
X	Modal Factor
=	Rate

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# **Sample Rate Calculation**

Plan: Humana Preferred Silver 3650/3650 Plan Availability: Off-Exchange (includes Ped. Dental) Tobacco Use: Non-Tobacco User

Rating Area: 6 Reference Market: Greeley Network: PPO Payment Mode: Monthly

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			Mbr #1	Mbr #2	Mbr #3	Mbr #4	Mbr #5	Mbr #6	
		Ag	e: 40	32	7	5	3	1	
		Average Premium	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	\$359.67	
)	X	Plan Factor	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	1.0545	
)	X	Age Factor	1.0813	1.0009	0.5372	0.5372	0.5372	0.0000	
)	X	Tobacco Use Factor	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	0.9941	
)	X	Geographic Network Factor	0.9923	0.9923	0.9923	0.9923	0.9923	0.9923	
=	=	Subtotal (rounded to nearest penny)	\$404.54	\$374.46	\$200.98	\$200.98	\$200.98	\$0.00	_
)	X	Modal Factor	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	
=	=	Rate	\$404.54	\$374.46	\$200.98	\$200.98	\$200.98	\$0.00	\$1,381.94

# Humana Insurance Company Colorado

**HIOS Identification: 79509** 

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#### **Purpose:**

The purpose of this actuarial memorandum is to provide supporting justification to the Unified Rate Review template with the goal of demonstrating compliance with the market rating rules, as well as reasonableness of any proposed rates.

In addition, this actuarial memorandum provides required actuarial certifications related to:

- the methodology used to calculate the AV Metal Value for each plan
- the appropriateness of the essential health benefit portion of premium upon which advanced payment of premium tax credits (APTCs) are based
- the index rate is developed in accordance with federal regulations and the index rate along with allowable modifiers are used in the development of plan specific premium rates

This filing should be used for no other purposes.

This memorandum was prepared by a qualified actuary, and is intended to be reviewed by a qualified actuary.

#### **Reasons for Rate Increases**

This actuarial memorandum accommodates our rates developed for new products.

The following paragraphs detail the components of the change in index rate used in development for our new 2014 products. Following a summary of the cumulative impacts at the beginning of this memo, we will walk through each item, how it impacts 2014 index rates, and the quantification.

Rate Increases Driven by Changes in Allowed Claims						
A. Morbidity	65.7%					
B. Medical Inflation & Trend	7.1%					
C. Increased Utilization	10.6%					
D. Change in Benefits	6.3%					
E. Change in Demographics	1.5%					
F. Network Impacts	0.0%					
Total	111.8%					
Other Rate Increase Drivers						
G. New Taxes & Fees	1.4%					
H. Reinsurance Program	-7.9%					
I. Risk Adjustment	15.9%					
Total	8.2%					
Grand Total	129.2%					

A. Single risk pool experience which is more adverse than that assumed in the current rates & morbidity:

This adjustment is intended to capture the change in underlying morbidity for the risk pool in 2014 compared to the current risk pool. Due to the removal of pre-existing condition limitations combined with 2014 rules disallowing underwriting rate adjustment or exclusionary riders, it is anticipated that the average morbidity for policies issued in 2014 will be much greater than the average morbidity in the individual market today.

Morbidity levels are expected to be similar to those of small group given that the underwriting will be similar between the segments in 2014. It is reasonable to assume that individual morbidity will be higher since the individual market is likely to experience greater anti-selection where the sole purpose of purchasing individual coverage is based on need whereas, in the small group market, it is a by-product of being employed by the organization. Similarly, the mere requirement of being healthy enough to retain employment may lead to lower morbidity where this requirement does not exist in the individual market. For these reasons, the starting point for developing the 2014 guaranteed issue impact is gauging the relative morbidity between the individual and small group markets today. External consultants were also worked with to estimate the impact of the new single risk pool experience.

Increased utilization due to the impact of member behavioral changes when on a plan with richer benefits must be accounted for. This excludes the impact of health status. Further detail on the impact of increased utilization by plan and level of cost sharing subsidization is detailed later in the actuarial memorandum.

The impact of morbidity in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 65.7%.

#### B. Medical inflation & medical cost claims trend:

Rate increases required to account for increases in medical claim costs were selected based on historical trend results, anticipated claim trend (excluding Affordable Care Act impacts) for 2014, and separated for new membership compared to existing membership to account for the changes in renewal cycle to accommodate implementation of the Affordable Care Act (ACA) compliant products. The impact of medical inflation and medical cost claims trend from midpoint of 2012 to midpoint of 2014 in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 7.1%, or 3.5% annualized.

#### C. Increased Utilization

Rate increases required to account for increases in utilization were selected based on historical trend results, anticipated claim trend (excluding Affordable Care Act impacts) for 2014, and separated for new membership compared to existing membership to account for the changes in renewal cycle to accommodate implementation of the Affordable Care Act (ACA) compliant products.

The impact of increased utilization from midpoint of 2012 to midpoint of 2014 in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 10.6%, or 5.1% annualized.

#### D. Change in Benefits

All non-grandfathered plans must cover the essential health benefits package in 2014. The specifics of the essential health benefits are contained within the benchmark plan selected in each state.

There are two high level categories of benefits that require rate increases to account for in the individual market: behavioral services and other state-specific services.

Current plans do cover behavioral services but also impose visit limits as well as lower coinsurance rates and separate deductibles. The modification of cost sharing requires additional rate to cover the expected increase cost of services. State specific requirements embedded in the benchmark plan must also be provided and rates adjusted in accordance.

Please note, maternity coverage is already mandated in Colorado. An adjustment was made to account for the level of maternity claims expected in 2014 compared to the low level of maternity claims in the base experience period.

The impact of change in benefits in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 6.3%.

#### E. Change in Demographics

The change in demographics is meant to represent the shift in area mix of business distribution between 2012 and the new 2014 environment.

With the anticipated growth for 2014 and strategic selection of where products will be sold both on and off-exchange, there is an expected impact to the distribution of business by area. Since claim costs are known to vary by area, it is important to reflect this change.

The impact of change in demographics in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 1.5%.

#### F. Network Impacts

New products in 2014 will be tied to new networks in many markets, particularly on exchange where network selection was made in order to achieve lower claim costs. There are four components to the network savings: improved network discounts, removal of out-of-network coverage, new pharmacy network and formulary, and care coordinator savings.

There is no network impact in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company.

#### G. New Taxes & Fees Imposed on the Insurer

There are two additional taxes and fees for 2014 that must be considered in the pricing:

- 1) 1.4% additional federal tax
- 2) Exchange user fee of 0.0% of premium

The additional federal tax is the \$8 billion tax assessed on the insurance industry for 2014. Humana's estimated liability based on net premium share of the market is \$505M. Price adjustments are required to reflect the liability compared to the estimated 2014 company premium revenue. This is not tax-deductible, the appropriate increased federal income tax liability is captured in the income tax line in the expense exhibit discussed later in the actuarial memorandum.

The exchange user fee applies only to on-exchange business but must be spread across all business.

The impact of new taxes and fees imposed on the insurer in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 1.4%.

#### H. Changes in payments from and contributions to the Federal Transitional Reinsurance Program

Rate adjustment to account for projected reinsurance recoveries net of reinsurance premium were also included in the rate development. Details of how projections were established and the corresponding magnitude are discussed at greater length later in the memorandum.

The impact driven by the Federal Transitional Reinsurance Program in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is -7.9%.

#### I. Risk Adjustment

Expected Risk Adjustment Transfer payments must be incorporated in rate development. Transfer payments received or paid impact plan liabilities and therefore rates must be adjusted accordingly. Further detail on the development of this adjustment is discussed later in the memorandum.

The impact of risk adjustment in Colorado for Humana Insurance Company is 15.9%.

#### **Additional Commentary on Reasons for Rate Increases**

It should be noted that given the timeline of release of regulations, template requirements, and submission deadlines, pricing methodologies different from those prescribed by the Universal Rate Review Template were employed to develop 2014 pricing.

#### **Experience Period Premium and Claims**

Paid Through Date: February 28, 2013

Premiums net of MLR rebate: \$ 27,402,500 MLR Rebates: \$ 520,099

Estimated Rebates to be included: \$ -

Methodology for estimated Rebates: Rebates are the year-end accrual for 2012. The estimate was based on actual claims through the end of September 2012, with data projected through the end of the year. Since we have no state and legal entities that are fully credible in 2012 on their own, the 2012 rebates are based on two years worth of data. The 2011 data utilizes the submission used to generate rebates for the 2011 experience. Expense adjustments allowed under the rebate rules are estimated based on expense experience and future expectations.

	Allowed Claims		Incur	red Claims
Claims that were processed through the issuer's				
claim system	\$	28,079,365	\$	18,362,540
Claims that were processed outside the issuer's claim				
system	\$	2,017,805	\$	528,525
Claims incurred but not paid as of paid through date	\$	748,182	\$	469,611

The processed claims are claims incurred in 2012 paid through February 2013. The allowed amount comes directly from the claims system after eligibility and network discounts are applied.

To estimate incurred claims, reserve cells are categorized at the product and type of service detail and development methods with various averaging techniques are utilized, most commonly a six-month average excluding the high and low factors. Smoothing techniques are employed, including workday and seasonality adjustments. Changes in claim volume are included in these estimates by adjusting for pended claims.

For each month of incurral, the incurred but not reported amount equals the incurred claims estimate minus claims paid to date. Follow-up studies, including monthly historical reserve restatement analyses, are regularly performed to test the accuracy of the reserving methodology and suggest possible improvements.

Allowed but not reported estimates are developed utilizing the combination of the incurred but not reported estimate and the incurred to allowed ratio of historical claims.

#### **Benefit Categories**

The Benefit Categories are defined as follows:

Inpatient Hospital: Includes non-capitated services for medical, surgical, maternity, mental health and substance abuse, skilled nursing, and other services provided in an inpatient facility setting and billed by the facility.

Outpatient Hospital: Includes non-capitated services for surgery, emergency room, lab, radiology, therapy, observation and other services provided in an outpatient facility setting and billed by the facility. The Outpatient Hospital benefit category uses a combination of both visits and services to determine the utilization per 1,000. For items such as Outpatient Surgery and Emergency Room, where multiple services are rendered and can be billed together, visits are used for the measurement units. For single items that can be billed separately, such as Outpatient Therapy or MRI, services are used for the measurement units.

Professional: Includes non-capitated primary care, specialist, therapy, laboratory, radiology, and other professional services not billed by the facility. The Professional benefit category uses a combination of both visits and services to determine the utilization per 1,000. For items such as Primary Care or Specialist Office visits, where multiple services are rendered and can be billed together, visits are used for the measurement units. For single items that can be billed separately, such as Therapy or MRI, services are used for the measurement units.

Other Medical: Includes non-capitated ambulance, home health care, DME, prosthetics, supplies, vision exams, dental services and other services. The Other Medical benefit category uses a combination of both visits and services to determine the utilization per 1,000. For items such as Home Health visits, where multiple services are rendered and can be billed together, visits are used for the measurement units. For single items that can be billed separately, such as DME, services are used for the measurement units. Capitation: Includes all services provided under one or more capitated arrangements.

Prescription Drug: Includes drugs dispensed by a pharmacy. Costs are net of rebates received from drug manufacturers, as required.

#### **Projection Factors**

#### 65.7% Changes in the Morbidity of the Population Insured [A]

This adjustment is intended to capture the change in underlying morbidity for the risk pool in 2014 compared to the current risk pool. To calculate the change in morbidity, both internal pricing analysis and consultant reviews were utilized. Internal modeling considered the relative morbidity of the current uninsured market, combined with the relative morbidity of the membership on employer plans and the migration between segments. It is additionally anticipated that the resulting morbidity for the new 2014 business that will be issued in the individual market will be slightly higher than the morbidity levels of the small group market in 2014. Intuitively, morbidity levels similar to those of small group are expected given that the underwriting will be similar between the segments in 2014. The fact that individual morbidity will be higher is also a reasonable assumption since the individual market is likely to experience greater antiselection where the sole purpose of purchasing individual coverage is based on need whereas in the small group market, it is a by-product of being employed by the organization. Similarly the mere requirement of being healthy enough to retain employment may lead to lower morbidity where this requirement does not exist in the individual market.

This data was adjusted to account for relative morbidity differences between the two segments, geographic mix differences, anticipated difference between the coverage of benefits, level of large claims, and new presence of richer benefits inducing additional demand. Analysis included consideration for the amount of new membership for the issuer at a higher morbidity level compared to the amount of existing membership at a lower morbidity level and change in renewal patterns. Internal modeling utilized consultant feedback for both growth factor estimates and also as a reasonability check.

The impact of morbidity, part of [A] above, is 43.2%.

The policy reserve adjustment is a portion of the MLR calculation that is unique to individual medical for policies effective in 2013 and earlier.

It is an MLR leveling mechanism that is needed to account for the fact that early duration loss ratios are significantly lower than later duration loss ratios.

The factors used for this adjustment were developed by comparing the claims over premium to claims plus change in policy reserves over premium in the experience period.

The change in reserves is the amount intended to levelize the claims plus change in policy reserves over premium ratio over the course of the policy life and therefore is used as a measure for how much the claims need to be modified by to get to an average lifetime level of morbidity. The source of the policy reserve data is the change in policy reserve information for the single risk pool.

The impact of the policy reserve adjustment, part of [A] above, is 9.4%.

The plan mix adjustment represents the impact to the allowed claims due to the anticipated change in benefit selection patterns between the base 2012 experience period and projected 2014 rating period.

This state's 2012 experience base is comprised of a relatively leaner benefit plan mix than we expect to have in 2014, due to the more select, healthier composition of the population underlying it.

In order to account for the absence of such positive selection in a more standard 2014 population, the allowed claims have increased.

This impact was quantified by comparing the anticipated 2014 benefit plan distribution against that which underlies the state's specific 2012 experience base.

Each was weighted by 2012 premiums for each benefit plan, normalized for the difference in paid to allowed ratio.

The impact of the plan mix adjustment, part of [A] above, is 5.8%.

#### 6.3% Changes in Benefits [D]

As outlined in the "Reasons for Rate Increases" portion of the memorandum, this reflects the changes in benefits available to membership including adding maternity benefits, modification for behavioral health services cost-sharing and state mandated benefits as function of the benchmark plan. The data used to derive the estimated impact of adding maternity coverage was based on Humana Small Group data since many Humana individual plans currently do not include maternity coverage in the state. The methodology employed was comparing the level of maternity claims compared to the total claims. This was adjusted to account for anticipated increase in maternity incident rates given the mix of business differences between small group and individual by federal poverty levels. The estimated impact of the contraceptive coverage under the Women's Preventive Care legislation was additionally taken into account as an offset to the higher incidence rates.

The data used to derive the estimated impact of changes in member cost-sharing levels for behavioral health services was based on small group data as well. This exercise started with an analysis of behavioral health claims compared to total and compared the marginal benefit ratio of the new and current plans that will result due to the Federal Mental Health Parity requirements. State specific mandated benefits based on the benchmark plans were determined individually using similar methodologies.

#### 1.5% Changes in Demographics [E]

This factor represents the impact to the allowed claims with respect to the change in demographics between the base 2012 experience period and the expected demographic mix in 2014.

The process used to derive the change in area began with the distribution of business in 2012 and expected in 2014 by state and legal entity. Each of these was weighted with average premium per member per month in each state and legal entity market. The change in the overall state and legal entity's weighted premium per member per month dictated the expected impact due to the shift to the new 2014 geographic distribution. Age and gender were held constant in this exercise.

#### 0.0% Other Adjustments - Network Impact [F]

This factor represents the impact to the allowed claims with the presence of new networks on new products in 2014 in many markets. Data used to evaluate this claim impact is based on Humana claims at a corporate level as well as the individual market. To generate the estimated impact, network savings were generated relative to the base network underlying the current products.

#### 18.4% Trend Factors: Cost & Utilization [B & C]

The cost trend captures pure unit cost changes from midpoint 2012 to midpoint 2014, calculated using the same basket of services each period, due to price/contract negotiations and provider distribution changes. Inpatient Hospital, Outpatient Hospital, Professional, Capitation and Other Medical cost trends are developed based on historical area specific cost trends from Humana's Individual Commercial block of business data. Future cost trends are developed based on expected changes in Humana's Commercial contracts.

Pharmacy cost trends are developed based on historical brand, generic, and specialty drug trends from Humana's Commercial data. Future cost trends are developed based on expected changes in these pharmacy contracts.

These contractual impacts will be applicable to all members regardless of risk class.

#### Utilization trend:

Using Humana's Trend Quantification and Projection model, a baseline utilization trend is developed using Humana's Individual Commercial block of business historical medical claims data from 2008 - 2012. The historical baseline utilization trend is developed by removing all known impacts to utilization net trend such as demographics, geography, duration, customer changes, benefit changes, new health technologies, utilization management initiatives, and changes in pertinent days. An economic regression model, based on consumer sentiment, personal disposable income, hospital construction, and high-tech medical equipment spend, is then fit to this historical baseline utilization data to project the future block of business baseline utilization trend for 2013 and 2014.

A midpoint to midpoint methodology is applied to determine the applicable baseline utilization trend, which incorporates 2012q3 and 2012q4 actual results at the state and legal entity level with the block of business baseline utilization trend for 2013 and 2014. This results in baseline utilization trends that vary at the state and legal entity level.

Other components are added to the baseline utilization trend to develop the total utilization trend provided. These include the following:

- Pertinent days Captures changes in the calendar, recognizing that health care utilization varies by day of the week and reporting periods contain varying weekday mix and count. This impact is developed through the use of an external consultant's model which is uploaded with Humana's Commercial claims data.
- New Health Technologies Captures the impact of new health technologies and procedures. An external consulting firm researches new technologies and develops per member per month impacts. These impacts are customized to Humana's Commercial business based on membership and coverage policy.
- Management Initiatives Captures savings for Humana initiatives designed to bend trend by managing utilization, such as case management, disease management, and nurse programs. These initiatives are evaluated by an internal actuarial organization tasked with evaluating the effectiveness of the initiatives. Evaluations are done through a collaborative effort involving clinical and other operational areas. Projected savings are calculated by determining prospective changes to impacted metric values, which are determined by analyzing historical metric values as well as through discussions with clinical and operational areas. Savings are reviewed with leadership to ensure appropriateness of assumptions. This describes the development of the core utilization trend. All impacts from healthcare reform have been removed and are included in the "Population Risk/Morbidity" and "Other" adjustments from Worksheet 1 to prevent double counting of any impacts.

#### **Credibility Manual Rate Development**

#### Source and Appropriateness of Experience Data Used, Adjustments Made to the Data, Inclusion of Capitation Payments

To credibility adjust this block of business, a credibility manual consisting of slight modifications to 2014 market projections was utilized.

Source data utilized for the credbility manual calculation includes Colorado Humana Insurance Company utilization per 1000 that mirrors the 2014 projected experience, adjusting to reflect the overall credibility of the block of business that we apply in pricing to ensure adequacy of rates.

The average cost per service is driven by the Colorado Humana Insurance Company 2014 projected experience in order to maintain representation of the provider contracts and distribution mix represented in the allowed claim derivation, also adjusted to reflect the credibility of the block of business to ensure pricing adequacy.

We do not expect to have services in the projection period provided under a capitation arrangement.

# **Credibility of Experience**

The state of Colorado has mandated a level of 24,000 member months for full credibility. Per that mandate, our credibility weight methodology has been adjusted to reflect utilizing the following equation: square root(member months in experience period/24000).

To account for the presence of Colorado Humana Insurance Company experience in the credibility manual, the credibility level afore mentioned has been reduced by a factor of the expected 2014 membership relative to nationwide.

#### Paid to Allowed Ratio

The anticipated paid to allowed average factor over the projection period was developed by separately considering the anticipated paid to allowed factors by individual plan tier.

Once calculated, projected member month weights for each plan tier (consistent with those provided in Worksheet 2) were applied to these paid to allowed factors to produce an overall anticipated paid to allowed average factor of 58.5%.

The individual plan tier paid to allowed factors were developed based on an internal pricing model with underlying utilization and costs reflective of a standard population equal to that of the anticipated membership in the overall 2014 risk pool. These values were developed in accordance with generally accepted actuarial principles and methodologies.

# Risk Adjustment and Reinsurance Projected Risk Adjustment PMPM

The 2014 Risk Adjustment Transfer Payments are determined via a model that projects all large issuers in the state. This is necessary to estimate the state average premium and other normalization factors required by the HHS transfer formula. The model uses the formulas/factors prescribed by HHS to determine the transfer payments, state average premium, GCF (Geographic Cost Factor), IDF (Induced Demand Factor), ARF (Age Rating Factor), and AV (Actuarial Value). Furthermore, the model utilizes separate risk pools for Catastrophic and Metal Plans as described in the regulations. Since limited information is available for other issuers, most assumptions were set universally across issuers.

Membership mix by plan, as shown in column A of Exhibit 1, was determined by simulating member plan choices in 2014. The simulation uses Humana Small Group membership, because it should closely approximate the risk profile of new 2014 enrollees. A member's utility for each of the plans was estimated based on the post subsidy premium and the member cost sharing (after subsidies) given their health status. The member selects the plan with highest utility (subject to Catastrophic plan eligibility rules). This approach captures the impact of adverse selection by plan. In addition, the simulation produces a Plan Liability Risk Score (column C) for each member based on the HHS Commercial Risk Adjustment Model. This risk score is used in the calculation of risk transfer payments.

Members issued prior to 2014 also have risk scores calculated and are mapped to an ACA compliant plan that is similar to their current plan. All issuers are assumed to have the same plan mix. The primary driver of issuer specific risk scores is the projected mix of underwritten and non-underwritten membership. Previously underwritten members will be healthier than the cohort of business enrolled under guaranteed issue and will push risk scores lower.

Humana expects below average membership growth in 2014 due to above average anticipated unit costs. This will translate into a larger proportion of underwritten business and lower risk scores.

The percent of underwritten membership (column B) is determined based on a sales projection model. The model assumes initial membership for each issuer based on the 2011 SHCE. New enrollees are attributed to each issuer based on assumed price competitiveness in each market and an Individual Market growth assumption.

The Colorado Individual market is assumed to grow 41.2% in 2014. For Humana Insurance Company, these sales assumptions result in above average portion of underwritten membership and therefore below average Plan Liability Risk Score.

In accordance with HHS regulations, state average premium is calculated as a membership-weighted average of issuer premiums. Premium (column H) for each issuer is calculated to be the projected Total Liability PMPM (column G) divided by the target loss ratio. Total Liability is paid claims including induced utilization (column D) less projected risk adjustment transfers (column F) and less projected reinsurance recoveries net of contributions (column E). It is necessary to include reinsurance recoveries in the calculation because this will result in substantially lower premiums in the Individual market. The approach described above is similar to the method used in the September 2011 CCIIO whitepaper on risk adjustment.

Based on the above assumptions, Risk Adjustment Transfer Payments are calculated for each risk pool using the HHS transfer formula. As a result, Humana Insurance Company expects a \$7.73 PMPM average Risk Adjustment Transfer Payment from HHS on Catastrophic plans. On metal plans Humana Insurance Company expects a \$55.85 PMPM average Risk Adjustment Transfer Payment to HHS.

These result in -3.1% and 16.3% adjustments to premiums for Catastrophic and Metal plans, respectively. In compliance with rating rules, all Metal plan premiums are adjusted uniformly by 16.3% as demonstrated in column J of Exhibit 1.

#### **Projected Reinsurance Recoveries Net of Reinsurance Premium**

Reinsurance recoveries were calculated using claims data from the simulated populations mentioned above. Humana Small Group membership was used to represent the risk of new enrollees in 2014. This is expected to be a reasonable approximation of this cohort's risk characteristics. Humana Individual membership was used to model the risk of members renewing in 2014. The recoveries in column E of Exhibit 1 are a blend of these two populations. Paid claims were calculated for each member based on their allowed claims and the plan selected in the simulation. As specified by HHS, recoveries were calculated for members with total calendar year claims exceeding the \$60,000 attachment point. The recoveries apply an 80% coinsurance rate up to a cap of \$250,000.

To ensure statistical credibility, the estimate was calculated using nationwide membership and experience. However, the Colorado specific estimate was calculated by adjusting the nationwide allowed claims for the unit cost differences in Colorado.

A portion of reinsurance recoveries are offset by the reinsurance assessment of \$5.25 PMPM. We expect recoveries net of assessments to be \$26.97 PMPM which results in a -7.9% adjustment to premium. In compliance with rating rules, all plan premiums are adjusted uniformly by -7.9% as demonstrated in column I of Exhibit 1.

Note that the Unified Rate Review template contains reinsurance recoveries net of assessments wherever reinsurance estimates are requested. This approach was selected because it allows the values in Worksheet 2a to tie back to values from Worksheet 1. The value of reinsurance recoveries can be obtained by adding \$5.25 PMPM to each estimate.

# **Induced Utilization**

In this context, Induced Utilization refers to the utilization impact of member behavioral changes when on a plan with richer benefits. This metric does not include the impact of health status.

The induced utilization assumption of 0.1% was developed by applying adjustments to the plan specific factors provided by HHS in the Notice of Benefit and Payment Parameters.

We anticipate the effect of induced utilization to be somewhat less than the original factors suggest, so we have adjusted the factors lower. It is important to note that the assumed impact only accounts for the incremental induced utilization in excess of the induced utilization observed on an average pre-reform plan. This approach is used to avoid double-counting the impact of induced utilization.

### **Catastrophic versus Non-Catastrophic Allowed Claims**

Federal rating rules allow issuers to adjust the index rate for the level of gross claim costs anticipated for Catastrophic plan enrollees. Column B of Exhibit 2 shows allowed claims for the simulated members on Catastrophic and Metal plans. The simulation strictly adheres to the Catastrophic plan eligibility rules and uses member utility to determine plan selections. In the simulation, members eligible for subsidies tend to select Silver plans rather than Catastrophic plans. In addition, less healthy members tend to select plans with richer benefits than the Catastrophic plan. This results in a significantly lower allowed cost for members selecting the Catastrophic plan.

The ratio of Catastrophic allowed claims to total allowed claims across all plans (column C) is used to adjust the overall index rate for Catastrophic plans. This is a -4.3% adjustment to the index rate.

Similarly, the ratio of Metal Plan allowed claims to total allowed claims is applied to adjust index rate used for Metal Plans and results in a 0.0% adjustment. This small adjustment for Metal plans is necessary to ensure the overall index rate for the single risk pool remains unchanged.

#### Non-Benefit Expenses and Profit Risk

Expenses are based on our internal forecast for 2014. Expenses are estimated based off of current costs, projected volume changes and estimated changes in department workload. These expenses are simply loaded as a flat percentage of premium at this point in time and do not vary by product or plan.

# 16.8% Administrative Expense Load

- Broker & Sales Commissions: Compensation expenses associated with business issued through an agent or agency
- •Quality Expenses: Expenses associated with quality that are allowed adjustments under the Medical Loss Ratio standards
- •Clinical & Network Operations: non-quality clinical costs, provider contracting, and network maintenance & development
- •IT Expenses: costs associated with maintenance and development of systems
- Customer Service & Account Installation: call center, customer service, and account management
- Corporate Administration: shared functions that are not exclusive to individual major medical, including corporate finance, legal, human resources, etc.
- •Individual Administration: functional areas & personnel that solely work on individual major medical
- Direct Response, Marketing, & Agency Management: direct to consumer marketing expenses, other marketing expenses and agency management expenses

#### 2.4% Profit (or Contribution to Surplus) & Risk Margin

• Profit margin is shown on a post-income tax basis and does not include investment income. The margin shown does not vary by product or plan.

#### 5.8% Taxes and Fees

- 2.3% •State Premium Tax: state premium tax; charged on a percentage of premium
- 1.4% •Health Insurer Annual Fee: assessment created in 2014 by PPACA. Estimated at 1.4% of premium. Not income tax deductible.
- 0.0% •Exchange Fee: charged on a percentage of premium basis to fund the exchange
- 0.1% •Other Misc Taxes: includes state licensing fees & the Federal Comparative Effectiveness Tax
- 2.1% •Income Tax: Federal income tax. Estimated as 36% times the sum of pretax profit margin and the non-deductible Health Insurer Annual Fee

# **Projected Loss Ratio**

The projected loss ratio using the Federally prescribed MLR methodology is at least 80%.

### Demonstration:

(2014 Claims/2014 Premium) + (Quality Expenses as a % of Premium))/(1 - Taxes and Fees as a % of Premium)((7,727,875 / 10,305,208) + 1.2%)/(1 - 5.8%) = 80.9%

#### **Index Rate**

The index rate for the experience period is simply the allowed claims per member per month in 2012 for all non-grandfathered plans. An adjustment is made to remove the impact of non-EHB state mandated benefits from the experience period allowed claims (see below for details); it is implicitly assumed that all other allowed claims for 2012 were for essential health benefits.

The index rate for the projection period is the credibility manual weighted allowed claims per member month multiplied by the proportion of allowed claims associated with essential health benefits, thereby excluding state mandated covered benefits and other covered benefits in excess of essential health benefits.

State mandated covered benefits that are included in allowed claims but excluded from the index rate include home health care services and physical, occupational, and speech therapy for congenital defects.

Covered benefits in excess of essential health benefits and state mandates that are included in allowed claims but excluded from the index rate include chiropractic care, organ transplants, and routine footcare.

The following market-wide adjustments are applied to the projected index rate as the first step in determining plan level "index" rates:

- 1) Adjustments for the net impacts of both risk adjustment and reinsurance. See "Risk Adjustment and Reinsurance" earlier section for more details of this market-wide adjustment.
- 2) An adjustment for the anticipated cost of exchange user fees.

The user fee cost of 1.4% of premiums has been applied to the estimated percentage of 2014 premiums from membership enrolled on the exchange.

It is included in the development of the overall index rate adjustment for this legal entity in this state.

- 3) Expense estimates (excluding exchange user fees) were based on our internal forecast for 2014. They were estimated based on current costs, modified to accommodate projected volume changes and changes in department workload. These are presented as a flat percentage of premium at this point in time and do not vary by product or plan, and thus are essentially another market-wide adjustment applied to the projected index rate.
- 4) An adjustment for the addition of non-EHB benefits (additional benefits we provide at our own discretion, as well as any state mandated benefits not reflected in the benchmark plan typically individual market only mandates). It is assumed that the addition of such benefits increases costs to all plans uniformly, hence it is essentially handled as a market-wide adjustment.

Then the following plan-specific adjustments are applied to determine plan level "index" rates:

5) The individual plan tier pricing actuarial values (AVs) were developed based on an internal pricing model with underlying utilization and costs reflective of a standard population equal to that of the anticipated membership in the overall 2014 risk pool. The data used to produce the HumanaOne pricing AVs was based on a standard population of commercially insured membership purchased from a third party vendor. In order to provide the level of detail necessary for the analysis, internal data was used to subdivide the claims experience but the overall utilization level was calibrated to a standard population derived from a multitude of commercial insurers across a broad geographic area. Using this data, a seriatim (member-by-member) model was developed with the standard population data and projected 2014 annual claims by benefit category. Then, the 2014 plan design parameters were applied to those allowed claims to produce paid claims and pricing AV's. These values were developed in accordance with generally accepted actuarial principles and methodologies.

The resulting plan-specific AV relativity to the overall AV across all plans is applied to the index rate to account for the plan-specific differences in AV and cost sharing.

6) The development of the index rate includes the anticipated average unit costs derived from the provider networks that will be available on this legal entity in this state. These average unit costs are the result of charge levels, network discounts, delivery system characteristics and utilization management practices across the entire state, for this legal entity.

As permitted, an adjustment is made to each plan rate to account for the specific cost differences from each provider network, in each allowed rating area, compared to the overall average across all plans.

Finally, with respect to Catastrophic plans, the following adjustments are made:

- 7) The ratio of Catastrophic allowed claims to total allowed claims across all plans is used to adjust the overall index rate for Catastrophic plans (reference the previous section on Catastrophic plans for more detail).
- 8) Similarly, the ratio of Metal Plan allowed claims to total allowed claims is applied to adjust the index rate used for Metal Plans to ensure the overall index rate for the single risk pool remains unchanged (again, please reference the previous section on Catastrophic plans for more detail).

# **AV Metal Values**

The AV Metal Values indicated in Worksheet 2 of the Part 1 Unified Rate Review Template were determined using the AV Calculator for all new plans.

#### **AV Pricing Values**

The fixed reference plan used as the basis for the AV Pricing Values in Worksheet 2 is: Humana Preferred Silver 4250/6250 Plan wih Dental for Kids .

#### **Membership Projections**

In determining anticipated membership, two internally developed models are used. The first projects overall membership volume based on anticipated market growth, in-force persistency, and relative competitiveness. The second functions independently and produces specific plan tier mixes based on consumer selection behaviors. These two elements are combined to produce the projected membership volumes by plan tier found in Worksheet 2 of the Unified Rate Review Template. Each is described in further detail in Parts I & II, below.

#### Part I

In projecting overall membership volume across the state, we start with today's estimated total statewide market size and market shares by carrier (based on 2011 SHCE). Along with Humana, the model considers three other "carriers" in the state, two of which are based on the major carriers in the market today and a third which represents the balance of the market. Assumed competitive price relativities are then used to derive a percentage share of 2014 sales by carrier. We believe using these price relativities as the primary determinant of sales share in our modeling to be appropriate, due to increased sensitivity to price in the 2014 marketplace.

Due to the changes occurring in 2014 (guaranteed issue requirements, individual mandate, etc.), the model also makes assumptions for the growth and disruption that will transpire.

We assume the individual market in this state will grow by a factor of 1.70 relative to current market size and that 15.0% of in-force membership will lapse to seek coverage under the new market rules.

These assumptions were set globally across all modeled carriers in the state, given the limited carrier-specific information available at this time.

Together, these market size growth and lapse assumptions create an initial 2014 membership base on which the previously developed sales shares by carrier are applied to create membership sales volume estimates. All sales are assumed to occur on January 1, 2014, thus creating 12 months of exposure for each sold member.

The resulting total exposure created by these sales for Humana is projected to be 30,218 member months (a) on the Humana Insurance Company legal entity.

#### Part II

For the purposes of further projecting this membership by individual plan tier, a simulation was developed to model consumer behavior with regard to risk aversion, utility, and affordability. In particular, it considers eligibility for the various premium and cost sharing reduction subsidies by applying a single assumed nationwide income distribution (as a percent of FPL). Internal nationwide small business claims and membership data was used in developing the simulated population, since we believe this experience base provides the best available approximation of the anticipated 2014 risk pool. In general, the simulation assumes that members eligible for cost sharing reductions, based on their income relative to the federal poverty level, are expected to significantly tend toward choosing the applicable silver variant plan, due to its relative value proposition. This tendency becomes less pronounced as the percent of FPL increases.

Member month projections by plan tier (including the CSR silver plan variants) are produced by combining the results of Parts I & II with the developed information detailed above. The results are summarized below:

	Projected Member	
Plan Tier	Months	Percent of Total
Catastrophic	1097	4%
Bronze	16524	55%
Silver	12598	42%
Gold	0	0%
Platinum	0	0%
Total	30218	100%

CSR Variant	Projected Member Months	Percent of Total
70%	12598	42%
73%	0	0%
87%	0	0%
94%	0	0%
Silver Total	12598	42%

We expect the distribution of our business to shift within the state in direct response to the changes in provider and network deals, and therefore anticipated competitive position, by market. Sales in 2014 will concentrate in areas where there have been the most pronounced improvements; in the absence of such improvements, the geographic distribution across the state is expected to remain relatively constant from the current to the projection period. This is accounted for in the modeling methodology described above.

#### **Effective Rate Review Information**

#### **URR Approach**

This section describes how the URR template values were populated in instances where the instructions were unclear or the template's functionality was unable to accommodate the appropriate values.

- Rate change % over prior filing (row 25) was populated with the change between rates effective 1/1/2014 and rates effective 12/31/2013. The previous rate filing contained rates that were effective through the end of 2013. Therefore, the 2014 rate is compared to the last rate in effect on 12/31/2013.
- Cumulative Rate Change % over 12 months prior (row 26) was populated with the change between rates effective 1/1/2014 and rates effective 1/2/2013. This captures the change in the rates over precisely one year.
- Projection Period Rate Change % over Experience Period (row 27) is a calculated formulaically by the template. However, it is important to note that this measure can be subject to significant variability. In our 2014 projection we assume a constant distribution of membership by age and geography. The rates for each plan were developed using the same distribution and is reflected in the average premiums (row 80). However, in row 27 this is compared to earned premiums from the experience period. The experience period will have a significantly different distribution of membership by age and geography than in the projection. As a result, row 27 will reflect changes in mix as well as changes in rates. This results in significant volatility for plans with limited membership during the experience period.
- Section IV of Worksheet 2 contains several inconsistencies between the calculated rows and the warning checks. These inconsistencies are primarily due to the definition of Total Allowed Claims (row 86). The warning check and the template instructions both indicate that the impact of reinsurance and risk adjustment should be included in Total Allowed Claims. However, formulas that refer to row 86 use it as if the impact of reinsurance and risk adjustment were not included. This results in double counting and inappropriate application of these items in rows 93, 98 and 99. Our approach was to follow the template instructions when populating row 86 and then explain the warnings that get generated in the subsequent rows. Explanations for the warnings can be found later in the memorandum.
- The net impact of risk adjustment (row 96) does not accept negative values if entered manually. However, we have found that populating this row via copy/paste will validate successfully. Therefore we have populated the template using this technique when necessary.

#### **Warning Alerts**

#### Worksheet 2, Row 82:

A warning has been generated in row 82. The values in this row are based on the sum each plan's projected premium based on the plan's projected membership and average rate pmpm. The warning in row 80 allows for a 2% tolerance level when comparing to the value depicted on Worksheet 1, but the Worksheet 2 tolerance level requires equivalence. This slight variation makes a perfectly equivalent premium match highly unlikely. The worksheet 2 results are within a tolerable range of the worksheet 1 value.

# Worksheet 2, Rows 83-85:

A false error is populating for rows 83-85 in all columns suggesting the three values do not add to 100%. This is incorrect; based on the formula in row 85, it is impossible for this to be true. Values have been appropriately populated.

#### Worksheet 2, Rows 93, 98, 99:

Warnings have been generated in rows 93, 98, and 99 for the same reason. The values in these rows are all based on the values in Total Allowed Claims (row 86) and per the template instructions this includes the impact of reinsurance and risk adjustment. This is inconsistent with how this value is used by template formulas and comparisons to values on Worksheet 1. Rows 93 and 98 are calculated based on row 90 which includes the impact of reinsurance and risk adjustment. Row 90 is subtracted from row 86 causing the impact of reinsurance and risk adjustment to be double counted. Warnings are generated when these numbers are compared to values from Worksheet 1 that include these impacts properly. In addition, Row 99 is calculated based on row 86 (which includes reinsurance and risk adjustment), but validated using a value from Worksheet 1 that does not include reinsurance and risk adjustment.

#### Reliance

I, Stephen Arnhold, relied on information and underlying assumptions provided by internally developed pricing and modeling as well as third party consultant data in the establishment of these rates.

#### **Actuarial Certification**

I, Stephen Arnhold, am an Actuarial Director for Humana. I am a member of the American Academy of Actuaries and I meet the Qualification Standards of the American Academy of Actuaries to render the actuarial opinion contained herein.

I certify, to the best of my knowledge, that the projected index rate is in compliance with all applicable State and Federal Statutes and Regulations (45 CFR 156.80(d)(1)), developed in compliance with the applicable Actuarial Standards of Practice, reasonable in relation to the benefits provided and the population anticipated to be covered, and neither excessive nor deficient.

I certify, to the best of my knowledge, that the index rate and only the allowable modifiers as described in 45 CFR 156.80(d)(1) and 45 CFR 156.80(d)(2) were used to generate plan level rates.

I certify, to the best of my knowledge, that that the percent of total premium that represents essential health benefits included in Worksheet 2, Sections III and IV were calculated in accordance with Actuarial Standards of Practice.

I certify, to the best of my knowledge, that that the AV Calculator was used to determine the AV Metal Values shown in Worksheet 2 of the Part I Unified Rate Review Template for all plans.

This opinion is qualified, in that the Part I Unified Rate Review Template does not demonstrate the process used by the issuer to develop the rates. Rather, it represents information required by Federal regulation to be provided in support of the review of rate increases, for certification of qualified health plans for Federally facilitated exchanges and for certification that the index rate is developed in accordance with Federal regulation and used consistently and only adjusted by the allowable modifiers.

**Actuary signature:** 

Actuary Printed Name: Stephen Arnhold, FSA, MAAA

**Date:** May 14, 2013

# Colorado Humana Insurance Company Exhibit 1

# **Pricing Impacts of Risk Adjustment and Reinsurance**

Values are projected based on current membership and simulated 2014 enrollees

	Α	В	С	D	E	F	<b>G</b> = D - E - F	<b>H</b> = G / Tgt LR*	I = - E / H	<b>J</b> = - F / H
	% of Members	% Underwritten	Plan Liability Risk Score	Paid Claims PMPM	Net Reinsurance PMPM	Risk Adjustment Transfer Payment PMPM	Total Liability PMPM	Premium PMPM	Reinsurance % of Premium	Risk Adjustment % of Premium
Catastrophic	2%	18%	0.575	213.90	19.66	7.73	186.51	248.68	-7.9%	-3.1%
Metal Plans	98%	79%	0.660	228.91	27.16	(55.85)	257.60	343.47	-7.9%	16.3%
Bronze	57%	82%	0.552	215.85	25.61	(52.66)	242.90	323.87	-7.9%	16.3%
Silver	38%	73%	0.810	244.78	29.04	(59.72)	275.46	367.28	-7.9%	16.3%
Gold	2%	100%	0.760	279.19	33.12	(68.11)	314.19	418.91	-7.9%	16.3%
Platinum	0%	100%	1.210	314.78	37.34	(76.79)	354.23	472.30	-7.9%	16.3%
HIC Total	1%	77%	0.658	228.70	26.97	(54.08)	255.81	341.08	-7.9%	15.9%
Other Issuers	99%	42%	0.850			0.53		277.88		
CO Total	100%	42%	0.848			0.00		278.49		

<sup>\*</sup>Target Loss Ratio: 1 - administrative load - profit/risk load - taxes/fee load. Loads provided in Worksheet 1.

We were able to revise our projected sales and membership to reflect this guidance, which is why there is a slight inconsistency in the membership weights shown above and in the "Membership Projection" section of the accompanying memorandum.

<sup>\*</sup>Special Note: The above exhibit reflects the final pricing used in developing the rates proposed in this submission. Late-breaking guidance was given to discontinue existing products in this legal entity, and due to time constraints we were not able to incorporate said guidance into the final pricing; however, we do not believe this to result in a material change to the final rates as submitted.

# Colorado Humana Insurance Company Exhibit 2

# Catastrophic/Non-Catastrophic Index Rate Adjustment

	Α	В	С	
	% of Members	Allowed Claims	Index Rate	
		PMPM	Adjustment	
Humana - HIC	1%	390.58	1.000	
Catastrophic	2%	373.93	0.957	= 373.93 / 390.58
Metal Plans	98%	390.72	1.000	= 390.72 / 390.58
Bronze	57%	390.72	1.000	= 390.72 / 390.58
Silver	38%	390.72	1.000	= 390.72 / 390.58
Gold	2%	390.72	1.000	= 390.72 / 390.58
Platinum	0%	390.72	1.000	= 390.72 / 390.58

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# STATE OF COLORADO HUMANA INSURANCE COMPANY ACTUARIAL MEMORANDUM POLICY FORM SERIES CO-71130 & CO-71130-POS

#### A. Summary

#### 1. Purpose

We respectfully submit for your consideration the enclosed premium rates for use with the above captioned policy series. This actuarial memorandum was created and formatted pursuant to Colorado Regulation 4-2-11, Section 6.

This filing has been prepared for the purpose of certifying that the anticipated loss ratio of this product meets the minimum requirement of this state, assuring that rates are reasonable in relation to the benefits provided, as well as demonstrating rates are not excessive, inadequate, or unfairly discriminatory. It is not intended to be used for any other purpose.

# 2. Requested Rate Action

This filing contains the premiums to be made effective for new business that will be issued in 2014. Please see the "Reasons for Rate Increases" section of Part III: URRT Actuarial Memorandum.

#### 3. Marketing Methods

The policies will be marketed by general agents, brokers, wholesale arrangements, and by Humana employees through various campaigns geared directly to consumers. All plans contained in this filing will be offered exclusively off exchange.

Previously approved form series on the Humana Insurance Company entity, CO-71037-POS, GN-71037-01, & GN-70129, will be discontinued beginning 1/1/2014. Members will receive necessary notification and the opportunity to purchase any of the plans included in this filing.

# 4. Premium Classifications

Premium rates vary by combination of age (as of issue for new business and attained age for renewals), tobacco usage, geographic area, and family composition. These associated factors can be found in the attached rate manual.

# 5. Product Description

This is an Individual Major Medical plan sold to individuals and families. The rates under the policy form series, CO-71130, support a Preferred Provider Organization plan provided through a PPO contract with Humana Insurance Company.

The rates under the policy form series, CO-71130-POS, support a Point-of-Service plan provided through a dual entity POS contract with Humana Health Plan, Inc. and Humana Insurance Company. The dual entity POS contract communicates both network and non-network benefits to a member in a single policy. The member has open access to network HMO providers as referrals are not required. The network supporting this product is a combination of both HMO and PPO network providers, affording members with access to a larger provider network.

The plans under policy series CO-71120-POS include our embedded Wellness & Rewards Program, HumanaVitality. The premium impact of this embedded benefit is 1%, approximately \$2.40 PMPM. Pursuant to § 10-16-136(3.7), C.R.S., Humana received national accreditation from the National Committee of Quality Assurance on September 11, 2012 (attached certification and letter under Supporting Documents Tab).

Furthermore, please see the Supporting Documents Tab for documentation demonstrating that the wellness program is scientifically proven to improve health (Regulation 4-2-11 7.B).

A summary of key benefits can be found in the rate manual, along with the rating factors associated with the plans; the policy form should be consulted for specific benefit provisions.

#### 6. Age Basis

Premiums will be calculated using age at issue for new business and attained age for renewing business.

# **B.** Assumption or Acquisition

All plan designs have been developed internally and are not part of an assumption or acquisition.

# C. Rating Period

The effective date of the rating period is January 1, 2014 for all plan designs. Rates are effective until 1/1/2015, at which point members issued during 2014 will have their rate potentially modified.

# D. Underwriting

All membership is intended to be issued without underwriting.

# E. Effect of Law Changes

Please see the "Reasons for Rate Increases" section of Part III: URRT Actuarial Memorandum.

#### F. Rate History

CO-71130 and CO-71130-POS are new policy form series, therefore no rate history can be provided.

#### **G.** Coordination of Benefits

Coordination of benefits data is included in the loss ratio calculation.

# H. Relation of Benefits to Premium

Below is a summary of the retention estimate used for pricing this product. Note that investment income is not included, as it is not expected to be a material contribution to the profitability of this product.

Expense Category	% of Premium
Broker & Sales Commissions	4.4%
Quality Expenses	1.2%
Clinical & Network Operations	1.9%
IT Expenses	1.0%
Customer Service & Account Installation	1.6%
Corporate Administration	2.4%
Individual Products Administration	2.7%
Direct Response, Marketing, & Agency Management	1.6%
State Premium Tax	2.3%
Health Insurer Annual Fee	1.4%
Exchange Fee	0.0%
Other Misc Taxes & Assessments	0.1%
Income Tax	2.1%

Total Administrative Expense	22.6%

# I. Lifetime Loss Ratio

The projected loss ratio of the product is expected to be 75%. This loss ratio is net of reinsurance and risk adjustment. For your reference, Actuarial Justification has been provided via attachment, 2014 CO HIC Justification of Benefit Ratio.

# J. Provision for Profit and Contingencies

The provision for profit and contingencies is 2.4% post-FIT. Because we do not anticipate holding policy reserves on this business, investment income only is obtained by returns on unearned premium reserves and reserves for incurred but not reported claims. We do not know the timing of when we will receive the advanced premium tax credits from the federal government. We anticipate that the unearned premium reserve may be offset by payment delays from the federal government. Therefore, we expect investment income to be a negligible source of revenue for this product line.

# K. Complete Explanation as to How the Proposed Rates were Determined

Please see sections, "Reasons for Rate Increases" and "Index Rate" in Part III: URRT Actuarial Memorandum.

#### L. Trend

Please see the attached trend exhibits, Exhibit B.

#### M. Credibility

Please see the "Credibility of Experience" section in Part III: URRT Actuarial Memorandum.

# N. Data Requirements

Please see the attached past and future projection exhibits, Exhibit A.

# O. Side-by-Side Comparison

The proposed rates on policy form series CO-71130 & CO-71130-POS are new. Therefore, there are no comparisons between current rates and proposed rates.

#### P. Benefits Ratio Projections

Benefit projection ratio is projected to be 75%. This includes the effects of reinsurance and risk adjustment. Please see projection exhibit for details. For your reference, Actuarial Justification has been provided via attachment, 2014 CO HIC Justification of Benefit Ratio.

#### O. Other Factors

See attached rate manual.

# R. Actuarial Certification

I, Stephen Arnhold, am an Actuarial Director for Humana. I am a member of the American Academy of Actuaries and I meet the Qualification Standards of the American Academy of Actuaries to render the actuarial opinion contained herein.

I certify that this rate filing adheres to the laws of this state, to the best of my knowledge. I further certify that the assumptions used to develop rates are reasonable, that they have been set with an understanding of the business plan for this form series, and that they produce rates that are not excessive, inadequate or unfairly discriminatory.

Stephen Arnhold, FSA, MAAA

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Actuarial Director, Individual Product Segment

May 15, 2013

# Supporting Exhibit: Rate Review Detail (SERFF Requirement)

The purpose of this document is to explain the assumptions used when calculating fields for the rate review detail window in SERFF.

#### **Requested Rate Change Information**

Change Period: Annual
Member Months<sup>(1)</sup>: 167,614
Benefit Change: Increase

Min<sup>(2)</sup> Max<sup>(2)</sup> Weighted Avg<sup>(2)</sup>

Percent Rate Change Requested: 0.0% 0.0% 0.0%

#### **Prior Rate**

Total Earned Premium<sup>(3)</sup>: \$26,882,400 Total Incurred Claims<sup>(3)</sup>: \$19,360,677

Min<sup>(4)</sup> Max<sup>(5)</sup> Weighted Avg<sup>(6)</sup>

Annual \$: 37 3,202 203

# **Requested Rate**

Projected Earned Premium<sup>(7)</sup>: \$10,305,208 Projected Incurred Claims<sup>(7)</sup>: \$7,727,875

Min<sup>(8)</sup> Max<sup>(9)</sup> Weighted Avg<sup>(10)</sup>

Annual \$: 139 1,248 360

#### Notes

- (1) Based on data from January 2012 through December 2012.
- (2) Not applicable, this is the initial filing
- (3) Based on data from January 2012 through December 2012.
- (4) The Minimum Annual \$ is the lowest possible monthly rate per member for standard benefits effective 12/2013, before applying the changes found in this filing. Rate is on a new business basis for non-smoker, single member policies of standard health. Note that these products will not be available for sale on this date.
- (5) The Maximum Annual \$ is the highest possible monthly rate per member for standard benefits effective 12/2013, before applying the changes found in this filing. Rate is on a new business basis for non-smoker, single member policies of standard health. Note that these products will not be available for sale on this date.
- (6) The Weighted Average Annual \$ is the pmpm projected premium on a 12/2013 rate basis for all in force business affected by this rate filing.
- (7) Projected over calendar year 2014, including policy reserves.
- (8) The Minimum Annual \$ is the lowest possible monthly rate per member for standard benefits effective January 1, 2014.
- (9) The Maximum Annual \$ is the highest possible monthly rate per member for standard benefits effective January 1, 2014.
- (10) The Weighted Average Annual \$ is the pmpm projected premium on a January 1, 2014 basis.